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OUTLINES.

At a banquet by the Chicago Association of Commerce last night, General Counsel Mather, of the Rock Island system, spoke of the great stress of the railroads of the country because their securities have been rendered unsalable by popular antagonism and governmental regulation; he confesses that the misdeeds of the railroads themselves are primarily responsible, but he frankly declared that the popular assault on railroads and the uncertainty as to the extent of governmental regulation has rendered the roads helpless to provide the improvements to meet the growing transportation needs of the country.——In an interview in New York yesterday, Mrs. Hettie Green, the richest woman in the world, spoke of the prospective marriage of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt to a foreign count, and strongly condemned the marrying of American heiresses to secure a title.——On the Detroit grounds yesterday the Chicago National base ball team, with a score of 2 to 0, won the fourth successive game, in as many days, from the Detroit American League team; the day was raw and windy and the attendance was only 7,370.——The telegraphers' strike has been called off because the treasury is depleted and there is no probability of a compromise on the part of the telegraph companies.——The hundred and fourteenth anniversary of the North Carolina University was appropriately celebrated yesterday, with Dr. McKelway, of Brooklyn, N. Y., as orator of the day.——The new freight steamer Cyprus, on her second voyage, foundered Friday night in Lake Superior, taking to the bottom twenty-two members of the crew.——New York markets: Money on call nominal, time loans strong; spot cotton quiet 11.70; flour firm; wheat firm, No. 2 red, 1.12 5-8 elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 75 1-2 elevator; oats firm, mixed 55 1-2; turpentine firm 55; rosin firm, strained common to good, 4.45 to 4.50.

Some men can be conspicuous without being prominent.

Those Mississippi bears seem to have been as successful as the Wall Street bears in not being disturbed by President Roosevelt.

The Minneapolis Tribune remarks that "it is not immoral to be rich." Lots of us would like to be in a position to say that from personal experience and not from observation.

Some biologist tells us that the average thickness of the skin of a hippopotamus is more than three inches. That is about the thickness of the skin that a politician needs in his business.

The Washington Post says Secretary Taft "once upon a time punched a newspaper man for getting too gay." Why didn't Taft hit some body his size or engage in an attempt to sit down on him?

Dr. Wiley, the government's food expert at Washington, says: "A drink of real Kentucky whiskey compared to an imitation is like a beautiful girl compared to a wooden figure in a store window." That Wiley seems to know his business as a taster.

The corn production this year is estimated by the New York Journal of Commerce at 2,500,000,000 bushels. There seems to be enough of it to assure "pure old corn" without so much worry to Dr. Wiley for fear that it might be adulterated.

"What is the ideal condition of serenity?" inquires a New York clergyman. It is the undisturbed equanimity with which the predatory beneficiaries of the tariff view the improbability that the Republican party will revise the tariff very much if that party is returned to power next year.

It is stated that President Roosevelt's forthcoming message already has been prepared. The message probably will give us an illustration of a man who can indorse the international peace movement and at the same time tell us that the best guarantee of peace is a navy bigger than that of any other nation.

Miss Gladys Vanderbilt is to be wedded to Count Szechenzi. Those multi-millionairesses will continue to annex titles, despite some of their unhappy experiences. When Miss Gladys gets her's it would appear that she will have to sneeze when she attempts to pronounce her husband's name.

"Eighty per cent. of the human family is sane," is the opinion expressed by a Tennessee alienist. Then how does he account for the fact that a majority of American voters permit the Republican party to hoodwink them into voting to keep it in power so it can tax them unreasonably and outrageously for the benefit of the comparatively few beneficiaries?

Y.M.C.A. CHAMPIONS

Close of City Baseball League Series at Hilton Park Yesterday Afternoon.

MONARCHS DEFEATED 4 TO 3

Interesting Game Between Topliners and Tailenders—Meeting of Clubs Next Friday Evening to Close Up Affairs of Season.

Yesterday's Results.
Y. M. C. A., 4; Monarchs, 3.
Giants, 6; Rattlers, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Y. M. C. A.	12	6	.666
Monarchs	12	8	.600
Giants	8	13	.380
Rattlers	7	12	.368

By defeating the Monarchs in the final game of the season at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon the Y. M. C. A. takes the championship of the City Baseball League and will be awarded the pennant. The game was four to three in favor of the Association team and was one of the best witnessed in the series. The two teams were at the very top of the percentage column with only a few points difference between the two and each club went in when "play ball" was called, determined to do or die. The Y. M. C. A. heavy-hitters found Green, the opposing slab artist, for successive base hits in the second inning and succeeded in sending two men across the plate. Another was added on a hit and an error in the fourth inning, but in the sixth the Monarchs took a tumble to themselves and ran in three men, tieing the score. With but three more innings to play to decide the championship of the League both teams played hard and it was only in the last half of the ninth that the Association team was able to put the winning run on the board. This cinched the pennant and the jubilant Y. M. C. A. players and their friends went wild with enthusiasm. Parker for the Y. M. C. A. pitched a splendid game and Green also held his own well but did not have the support that he should have had after the score was tied. Parker was credited with striking out seventeen men and he allowed but one scratch hit during the game. The inability of the Monarchs to find him was one of the features of the game all through.

The Score: R H E
Y. M. C. A. . . . .020 100 001— 4 11 2
Monarchs . . . .000 003 000— 3 1 4

Batteries: Parker and McClellan; Green and Moore.

The second game between the Giants and Rattlers, determining as it did which team should be the tail-end was quite as interesting as was the first game. The Giants won six to two and thereby finished the season in the third place with the Rattlers fourth. The game was marked by no special features and after the main contest of the afternoon, except to those directly concerned, there was little general interest in the outcome.

There will be a meeting of all members of the clubs and all others interested in the Y. M. C. A. parlors Friday evening of this week for the purpose of closing up the affairs of the League. Plans for next season will also be discussed. Under the presidency of Mr. J. E. Smith the season just closed has been a financial success and admirers of the sport have been furnished fine entertainment during the Summer months. Next year it is hoped to have an eight-team city league with games during the week instead of Saturdays only. The Southside League expects to put out four teams and the City League will have four. It is said to be not out of the range of possibility that an arrangement may be entered into by which the two leagues will join forces and play on two grounds, the one in the southern part of the city and another in some other section of the town. There is a good balance left to the credit of the City League this year and its affairs are in fine shape.

A consolation pennant was presented yesterday afternoon by President Smith to the Rattlers, who finished the season at the bottom, but who stuck pluckily to the game all through the season.

Receipts of Cotton.

Receipts of cotton yesterday were 5,159 bales against 4,157 bales same day last season. Of yesterday's receipts 501 bales were received from Georgetown, S. C., on the Clyde Liner Carib. The local market yesterday was steady at 11 3-16 for middling.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Contract advertisers who wish to make changes for the Sunday edition of the Star will confer a great favor by handing in their copy on Thursday. And unless the copy is in by Friday forenoon, at latest, we cannot guarantee any changes on Sundays.

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STATE CAPITAL ITEMS

Several Charters are Granted—Conference of Counsel in Railway Rate Case—Mrs. W. S. O'B. Robinson Dead—Masonic Temple.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 12.—A charter is issued by the State for the Sun Mutual Insurance Company, of Fayetteville. The company has no capital stocks, being mutual in plan of organization and has authority to do general life, health and accident insurance. Among the incorporators are P. M. Melchor, T. H. McNeil, J. W. Hood, E. E. Smith, B. H. Henderson, J. S. Settle and others.

Another charter is to the American Automatic Switch Company, of Salisbury, capital $100,000 authorized and $50,000 subscribed by P. H. Thompson, F. M. Thompson D. L. Avery and others. Still another charter is for the Opera House Company, of Lenoir, capital $10,000 authorized and $600 subscribed by D. J. Craig and others; also a charter to the Cowing Bros Co., Williamston, capital $10,000 by O. K. Cowing and others for mercantile business.

Ex-Governor Charles B. Aycock, of Goldsboro, E. J. Justice, of Greensboro, F. A. Woodard, of Wilson, and Victor S. Bryant, of Durham, were here today as counsel for the State in the Southern Railway litigation, testing the constitutionality of the 2 1-4 cent passenger rate for a conference with Governor Glenn in the matter of formulating plans for the further conduct of the hearings on the part of the State, a complete change of plans being necessitated by reason of the ruling just delivered by Judge Pritchard refusing to allow counsel for the State to examine the books of the Southern further back than two years. A statement bearing on the result of the conference and the future plans on the part of the State's counsel in the conduct of the case will be made public later by Governor Glenn.

The corner-stone for the Grand Lodge Masonic Temple arrived this morning ready to be placed in position next Wednesday, the ceremonies for which will be far and away the most elaborate and imposing ever held by North Carolina Masons. The lettering for the stone has not been completed but will be in ample time.

Friends here learned this morning with deep sorrow of the death of Mrs. Robinson, wife of ex-Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson which occurred this morning a little fater 4 o'clock. She had been in failing health several months and had spent some time in well known sanitariums North seeking relief from a serious nervous affection, this being followed laterly by melancholia and other serious complications. She was a woman of splendid attainments and is survived by her husband and three sons. Two of them graduated at the University of North Carolina last year and the third is now a member of the Junior Class at the University. The funeral will be held tomorrow at Goldsboro.

Professor J. B. Carlyle, of Wake Forest College, has just returned from the Eastern Baptist Association at Clinton and says the sessions were especially well attended and enjoyable.

FROST PREDICTED

Colder Weather Prevailing in Wilmington and Vicinity.

The weather forecast for Wilmington and vicinity yesterday was for frost and colder weather this morning and afternoon. There was a decided drop in the temperature last night and all conditions seemed favorable to the frost that is predicted. In this connection Observer Felger informed the Agricultural Editor of the Star yesterday that one year ago on the morning of the twelfth there was a very heavy frost in this vicinity. The minimum temperature yesterday was 53 degrees with a reading of 63 at 8 o'clock last night. From the latter hour, however, the mercury began to drop and this morning unofficial registers are down in the forties. Light frosts at Clanton Ala., Arlington, Bolivar and Brownsville, Tenn., were reported yesterday morning. In the Wilmington district Charlotte had a reading of 50, Cheraw 47, Florence 50, Goldsboro 47, Greensboro 49, Lumberton and Newbern 47, Weldon 43 and Raleigh 48. The minimum at Wilmington was 53.

FIRE AT KINGSDALE

Plant of Spirittine Company Destroyed Friday Night.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., Oct. 12.—The Spirittine plant at Kingsdale, five miles south of here, was destroyed by fire last night causing a loss of about ten thousand dollars. The origing of the fire and the amount of insurance is not ascertained.

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DEEP WATER PROJECT

Mr. John Fox of National Rivers and Harbors Congress to Interest State.

TO MAKE THIS A GATEWAY

Improvement in Which All North Carolina is Interested as Solution of Railway Freight Rate Problem—Coming This Week.

The movement inaugurated some months ago by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce to interest the whole State of North Carolina in the project for a thirty-foot depth of water from Wilmington to the sea, this upon the generally accepted theory that such an improvement would forever settle the problem of railway freight rates in the State, completely disarming the railroads of the Carolinas of the argument that lower rates are not granted because there is no great waterway in the State as is the case in Virginia, will receive a decided impetus this week upon the arrival of Mr. John Fox, of Cincinnati, traveling director of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress of the United States, who has been engaged by the committee from the Chamber of Commerce to which was referred this matter, to come to Wilmington, fully acquaint himself with the situation and then visit the more important shipping centres in the interior of the State to secure the support and co-operation of the whole people of North Carolina in a matter of such vital concern to them.

A telegram was received yesterday afternoon by Mr. James H. Chadbourn, chairman of the committee from the Chamber of Commerce, stating that Mr. Fox was leaving Cincinnati for Washington and would have a conference there with Major E. W. VanC-Lucas, formerly of the United States Army Corps of Engineers but now with Messrs. Hugh MacRae & Co., of this city, and also a member of the committee from the Chamber of Commerce of Wilmington on this important subject, after which he would proceed to this city arriving on Monday or Tuesday. Mr. Fox, who was heard with great interest here last year at the meeting of the Inland Waterway Convention, and who is a recognized authority on river and harbor improvement in this country, has been engaged by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce to organize the business interests of the State in furtherance of the 30-foot project from Wilmington to sea. He will look over the situation here a day or two and will then begin his travels to the more important points in the State, explaining why the proposed 30-foot waterway is not a local but a State project and one which would inure to the benefit of every shipper now doing business at rates predicated upon the water rate to Wilmington. Mr. Fox will meet the commercial organizations in the various cities visited and will invite each to send delegates to a convention to be held in Wilmington during the early part of November at which it is proposed to have the two Senators from North Carolina and the Congressman from each District in the State for the purpose of forming a State Association and securing concerted effort before Congress early in December toward obtaining the much desired improvement by the government. While there will be no rivers and harbors appropriation at the forthcoming session of Congress, the advantages of early organization cannot be overestimated and the business men have gone into the matter with a determination to fall nothing short of complete success.

Mr. Fox is coming at the request and will work under the direction of the committee from the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, which is composed of Mr. Chadbourn, chairman; Messrs. William E. Worth, H. G. Smallbones, H. W. Malloy, J. A. Taylor, R. A. Parsley and Major Lucas. No appointments are yet made for Mr. Fox to visit any cities in North Carolina, but these preliminaries will be arranged upon his arrival and while he is looking over the conditions here. His visit here will be in no wise a junket. The committee is composed of business men and they will go about furnishing their representative with the information he desires in a business-like way. He will be shown over the city, made acquainted with its possibilities and will be taken for an inspection of the present river and harbor improvements here. He will receive all the necessary information from the United States Engineers office here and will go out in the State backed by facts and figures. Mr. Fox is a business man of keen insight, a splendid speaker and the committee from the Chamber of Commerce is to be congratulated upon securing his services. At the same time the business men of the cities which he will visit are to be congratulated that they will have an opportunity of hearing this expert on river and harbors and freight traffic. Upon the occasion of his recent visit here Mr. Fox made possibly the most favorable impression of any of the speakers at the Inland Waterway Convention. He is enthused over the subeject and is informing and pleasing in his address. He will be heard on this important question to the State with much interest all over North Carolina.

Major Lucas, who is doubtless one of the most proficient engineers the government has ever employed and who has special information in regard to the Cape Fear river and harbor has given his unqualified opinion that the project is perfectly feasible. Moreover he has said that such a project is not so difficult as was the project by which the present depth of water from Wilmington to sea was obtained. This strongly commends the project at the outset and the outlook for its adoption by Congress, with the necessary effort on the part of the business interests of the State, could not be brighter.

The committee feels deeply grateful to the press of North Carolina for its undivided support and co-operation in the movement and is certain that this has accomplished much already in bringing the subject to the attention of those who are vitally interested from Currituck to Cherokee. The coming of Mr. Fox will be awaited with much interest and his work in the State will be appreciated wherever he is heard.

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WITH PYTHIAN HONORS

Funeral of Late Colonel William J. Woodward Will Be Conducted This Morning—K. of P. Escort to Fayetteville—Veterans.

Distinguished honors will be paid to the memory of the late Colonel William Joseph Woodward by the Knights of Pythias of the city and State upon the occasion of brief funeral services to be held this morning just prior to the departure of the train to Fayetteville over the remains of the deceased Past Grand Chancellor of North Carolina, from his late residence, No. 210 North Second street. There was perhaps no more highly esteemed Pythian in the State than Colonel Woodward during his life time and immediately upon receipt of the news of his death yesterday morning, Grand Chancellor W. C. Crist, of Winston-Salem, sent a message of condolence to the family and gave instructions over long distance telephone for the Past Grand Chancellors of the order in Wilmington to form an honorary escort for the remains to their final resting place in Fayetteville today.

In addition to this mark of respect, the members of the four lodges in Wilmington, nearly a thousand in number, are called by their respective chancellor commanders to assemble at Pythian Castle Hall at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of attending the obsequies in a body. There will be a short service at the house by the Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and this will be followed by the Pythan service in honor of the dead at the grave in Fayetteville, which will be observed by Past Chancellor W. S. Cook, of Fayetteville; Past Chancellors Wm. F. Robertson and John Haar and Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares, who is also a Past Grand Chancellor of the State.

Immediately after the service at the residence the remains will be borne to the Front street station of the Atlantic Coast Line, whence the funeral party will depart on the 8:40 train for the old home of Col. Woodward at Fayetteville, where the funeral services will be concluded and the interment will take place. Cumberland Lodge of Pythians will meet the remains at the station and act as an honorary escort to the grave. The Pythian escort from Wilmington will consist of Past Grand Chancellors Meares, Robertson, Haar; State Deputy Grand Chancellor J. D. Nutt; District Deputy L. B. Rogers and Mr. A. S. Holden, Keeper of Records and Seals of Jefferson Lodge No. 61, in which Col. Woodward carried his membership, and of which he was one of the charter members. Several friends and members of the family will also accompany the remains to their final resting place.

In addition to the mark of respect to be paid by the Pythians, Cape Fear Camp No. 254, United Confederate Veterans, have also been officially called to assemble at their hall to attend the services in a body. The Commander requests all veterans to turn out in uniform and be prepared to move promptly at the hour stated in the official notice.

Very feeling resolutions upon the death of Col. Woodward by the Seamen's Friend Society, of which Col. Woodward was a devoted member and an officer are published elsewhere in today's paper. Aside from these formal expressions yesterday there were many individual expressions of regret at the removal of this good citizen from the community. Col. Woodward had a host of friends in the city and they all universally deplore his death.

Experts to Shoot Here.

A squad of expert shots from the Winchester Repeating Arms Company who are attending the various county fairs in this State are expected here on the afternoon of October 28th to give an exhibition of shooting on the traps of the Wilmington Gun Club to which exhibition the public is cordially invited. In the party will be Mr. J. Mowell Hawkins, Mr. Fred Gilbert, Mr. W. R. Crosby, Mr. Lee B. Barkley and Mr. John R. Taylor. Most of these have been seen here before and are recognized as the best in the country.

VERDICT OF $15,000

Plaintiff Recovers This Amount in Bowen Damage Suit Against the Seaboard.

APPEAL TO SUPREME COURT

Jury Out Less Than Two Hours—Two Divorces Granted—Appeal in the Branch Suit—End of the Term.

After deliberating less than two hours the jury which had in hearing the $25,000 damage suit brought by Capt. Jno. D. Bowen, of this city, against the Seaboard Air Line for personal injuries received in the Hamlet wreck July a year ago, yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock returned a verdict in the Superior Court, awarding the plaintiff $15,000. The question of punitive damages having been eliminated by Judge Biggs presiding, on the grounds that no wanton or wilfull negligence on the part of the railroad was shown, only two issues were submitted, and these were answered as follows:

"Was the plaintiff injured by the negligence of the defendant?" Answer, "Yes."

"What damage has the plaintiff sustained thereby?" Answer, "$15,000."

The verdict, of course, carries with it the costs of the action, which will be in the neighborhood of $500, exclusive of attorney fees, etc. Upon the return of the verdict, the defendant's attorneys moved to set aside the verdict on the ground that the amount named is excessive. The motion was denied. The defendant then moved for a new trial. This was also denied and the verdict for the plaintiff was entered as judgment in the case. The defendant excepted to this and appealed to the Supreme Court. Notice of appeal was waived and by agreement defendant was given 30 days after adjournment of court to make up the case on appeal.

Drs. F. H. Russell, A. H. Harriss and T. M. Green were each allowed $25 as expert witness fee for the plaintiff.

The verdict was quite a disappointment to the plaintiff, his attorneys and friends who had expected the full amount of actual damages in view of the fact that the punitive damages had been eliminated. The appeal of the railroad company to the Supreme Court is not taken seriously, and it is the general opinion that the appeal will not be perfected, but that the railroad company will pay the amount awarded without further contest.

The Bowen case was completed yesterday morning shortly after 11 o'clock and the verdict was returned at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. Yesterday morning Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy completed his address to the jury and was followed by Mr. Marsden Bellamy for the plaintiff. Judge Biggs then delivered his charge to the jury and the twelve men retired to the room, returning with the verdict at the hour named, when Judge Biggs stated he would be in court to receive the verdict if any was agreed upon. It is understood that some of the jurors were in favor of a larger sum for the plaintiff, while others were for less, the amount as finally agreed upon being a general average of the estimates furnished by the individual members. The negligence of the railroad company was admitted; it was merely a question of amount and this was soon agreed upon.

The jurors in the case were H. B. Martin, John Thomas, J. T. Kerr, J. F. Mann, D. J. Joyner, Jr., A. H. Benson, C. W. Worth, M. Bremer, F. W. Ortmann, T. N. Thomas, J. W. Murchison and B. F. King.

When the Bowen case had been sent to the jury, the remainder of the forenoon session was taken up with the clearing of odds and ends from the docket in order that Judge Biggs might get off on the afternoon train to convene Onslow Superior Court at Jacksonville on time.

Divorces were granted in cases of P. L. Smith against Anne R. Smith, and Lillie T. Turner against John B. Turner.

In the case of Jno. M. Branch against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, in which the jury held that the plaintiff was not entitled to recover of the defendant the plaintiff made a motion to set aside the verdict on the ground of errors committed in the trial. This was denied and judgment was entered according to the verdict of the jury, whereupon an appeal was taken by plaintiff to the Supreme Court. Notice of appeal was given and accepted in open court and bond was fixed at $100. Thirty days was allowed each side to make up case on appeal.

Court was adjourned sine die early in the afternoon. The next term of Superior Court for the trial of civil causes, Judge Biggs presiding, will convene here Monday, December 2nd, but will last only one week.

Mrs. W. S. O'B. Robinson Dead.

News has been received of the death of Mrs. W. S. O'Robinson, which occurred yesterday at her home in Goldsboro. Mrs. Robinson, nee Miss Grace Moseley, was a woman of rare gifts and most attractive personality. Sympathy from very many friends and acquaintances in this city and throughout the State is felt for Judge Robinson and the three sons who are left to mourn their loss.

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FROST IN THE COTTON BELT.

The critical time for the cotton crop at this period of the year seems to have arrived. The crop is well advanced in the Atlantic portion of the belt and is late in the Southwest, where the bulk of the crop is produced. A late frost, therefore, would have a tremendous effect on prices. It would give the late bolls time to mature and open and the larger the crop as a consequence the lower would be the price. One of the evidences that the crop is backward in the Southwest was plainly indicated in the New York Cotton Exchange statistics published in the Star yesterday morning, giving the receipts at the ports up to date. Reference to our commercial columns will show that Savannah is at present far ahead of Galveston, New Orleans and Houston. For instance, Savannah's receipts for the season have been 327,736 bales, Galveston's 281,338, and New Orleans' 80,603. It will be noted that so far Savannah leads in receipts, Galveston comes next and Wilmington comes third with 113,746 bales. It all goes to show that the crop is wonderfully late in the Southwest, the crop is slow in opening and is not reaching the big ports. As a comparison, it might be recalled that up to this time last year the receipts were in this order: Galveston, 454,493 bales; New Orleans, 149,670 bales; Savannah, 224,746 bales; Wilmington, 52,114 bales. So we see that the receipts at the two leading cotton ports of Galveston and New Orleans are amazingly behind those of last season, while the receipts at Savannah and Wilmington are far ahead of those last season.

We mention this to remark that early frost in the Southwest would play havoc with the crop there, cut off the production and help to advance prices. If frost visits the Southwest, it means that the good crops of the belt on the Atlantic and middle section would logically bring big prices and assure prosperity to our farmers. What would be the misfortune of the Southwest would prove the fortune of our farmers in the Eastern part of the belt.

Frost in the Southwest will see prices of cotton advance, and we rather think that is what is going to happen. Already the United States Weather Bureau reported frost on Friday morning in Alabama and Mississippi, and it reports more frost yesterday morning in those two States and also in Tennessee, in which latter State frost is reported from Arlington, Bolliver, Brownsville, Milan and Memphis. Temperatures are also getting low in the Eastern belt. Yesterday afternoon's Weather Bureau bulletin carried a prediction of frost in the Wilmington district for this (Sunday) morning. The report also said:

"A high pressure area of considerable intensity is central over the Missouri valley, with freezing temperature in that section and colder weather has spread eastward across the lakes and into the interior and Southwest. Bismarck, N. Dak., and Huron, S. Dak., report temperatures of 18. * * * The advance of the Northwest high area will cause fair and colder weather in this section tonight and Sunday, with frost tonight (Saturday)."

The cotton crop review of the New Orleans Picayune for the week will help us to get an idea of the outlook for the crop. It says:

"The past week has been, on the whole, favorable to the cotton crop, although during the closing days there has probably been too much rain to suit harvesting operations. There has been no storm damage so far this season, although the period for tropical hurricanes has not yet passed away, the comparative immunity enjoyed up to this late date holds out the hope that the crop may escape this season from the damaging effects which such storms always produce on open cotton.

"The first part of the week witnessed generally dry, warm weather, helping the growth of the plants where backward and facilitating picking and gathering. The greater activity on the part of the gins is shown in the larger receipts at the markets, but it is also evident that the active campaign being prosecuted to persuade farmers to hold back their cotton is having its effect, as considerable holding is undoubtedly being resorted to, and this tendency would probably be even more pronounced but for the condition of the money market.

"In some parts of the central belt there has been complaint of too much rain, and such complaints are particularly plentiful from Alabama. Mississippi is reporting results from harvesting, so far somewhat disappointing, and the same report comes from other States in the central belt. On the Atlantic coast the promise of a large crop is being fully borne out by the receipts at the ports in that district. From Texas the accounts are still pessimistic, the earlier predictions of shortage being attested by the light movement. In Texas the disposition to hold for higher prices is more marked than in any other section.

"Owing to the lateness of the crop in most parts of the belt there is more than ordinary unwillingness to risk estimates as to the size of the yield. During the present week the Government Census Bureau will issue its report on the amount of cotton ginned up to Sept. 25. This, by comparison with previous years, will give some sort of a line on the character of the yield, although due allowance will have to be made for the lateness of the season. The Agricultural Department will also issue during the week its condition report, based upon returns from all over the Cotton Belt to Sept. 25. While that report will furnish ground for more or less comment, the record of the past does not warrant attaching any great importance to it as a guide to the size of the crop."

With frosts already reported in some of the belt and that freezing temperature advancing down the Mississippi Valley, some of the favorable views of our esteemed New Orleans contemporary are likely to be blasted. Altogether, the outlook is that the weather in a few days at most will send prices up again.

FINE NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE.

The Mount Olive Tribune on the 10th instant got out an "industrial and historical issue" that would be a credit to any paper in the State. The regular edition came out in the customary shape and the special edition appeared in magazine form of most attractive appearance. It was within neat covers, was printed on book paper, and was handsomely illustrated throughout. There were 40 pages of it and they were filled with interesting, valuable and admirably written articles setting forth the historical, industrial educational and agricultural interests of Wayne county, of which the Mount Olive section is a most important part. The edition made a splendid exhibit along every line and it admirably presented opportunities to home-seekers and investors. It was a big task for Editor Fred R. Mintz and his corps of capable assistants but surely they accomplished it in a manner that crowns The Tribune with glory and emphasizes the importance and advantages of Mount Olive and other portions of the good old county of Wayne. The illustrations are exceedingly attractive and as a whole The Tribune's historical, industrial, educational and industrial issue was a notable and eminently successful achievement.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Although the evidence was not sufficient to lead to any other decision than that made in the Rowland case, the general belief is expressed that the doctor and his wife are as guilty as yellow dogs.—Winston-Salem Journal.

—When Judge Parker first called public attention to those tainted campaign contributions his statements were brutally characterized as false. Now, when disclosures have proved all he said to have been true, the same people say that his revival of the subject is but digging among the graves of buried issues. According to this reasoning no man could ever vindicate himself from the charge of untruthfulness by the use of after-discovered evidence, and a lying denial would serve as a perpetual bar to the convention of guilty parties.

—The old lady has struck it rich and struck it right, at last. Mrs. Carrie Nation is now the "leading woman" of a theatrical company touring the West in a play called "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" and that was first put on when Noah found a spot of ground dry enough to accommodate the play and the audience. The star gets $200 a week which is no doubt sufficient to overcome her predjudices against the wickedness of the stage. But we must give her her due. With the money she makes she proposes to establish a Keeley shop in Washington where the unfortunates may be made over at small cost.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—Senator Beveridge, of Child labor fame, is respectfully informed that Ola Graham of Newberry county, aged ten, picked 425 pounds of cotton in two days, while Tommy Graham, 14 picked 554 pounds and Clarence Graham, 330 pounds. There are not two men and women in Indiana who, together, could do as well. Senator Beveridge himself, likely and strapping young fellow that he is, probably couldn't earn forty cents a day picking cotton at sixty cents the hundred.—Charleston News and Courier.

Gowan's Philosophy

Pretty soon now, in the early spring, there will be all kinds of politics in the air. You will find republicans and democrats insisting that their candidate or their choice of candidates is the one man who can lead the country to safety. This all may be true—but I regard this country safe, no matter much which party wins, because the people are behind the guns. Strange to me, though, that a man will go wild over his country's political peril, and never think at all about the peril of his household. You will find men who will spend their last dime for a campaign button, and who refuse to spend fifty cents for a bottle of Gowan's Pneumonia Cure. A campaign button would be of but little use if Croup should show itself, but Gowan's would cure the child. Wherefore, I wonder.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Nointy-nine in the sha-ade! By gorry! Do yez belave ut?" "Oi belave ut would be if there was anny sha-ade."—Life.

—Pastor (to widow)—And was your husband well prepared for his death? Widow—O' yes; he was insured in two offices.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

—Tom—My heart beats for you. Miss money Meow—I dare say; beats as so much purr.—Woman's Home Companion.

—Mr. Crimsonbeak—How do you like this new hat of mine, dear? Mrs. Crimsonbeak—I like it, John. It makes you look sedate and almost sober.—Yonker's Statesman.

—Tommy—Pop, a man's wife is his better half, isn't she? Tommy's Pop—So we are told, my son. "Then if a man marries twice there isn't anything left of him, is there?—Philadelphia Record.

—"Of course," said Miss Gaussip, "some of the stories you hear are not worth believing." "No," replied Miss Knox, "they're merely worth repeating, eh?"—The Catholic Standard Times.

—"His wife writes from a summer resort that she has been the great serpent." "That's nothing. Ever since she and her mother left he has been seeing twenty snakes to their one."—Atlanta Constitution.

—Father (impressive(— Consider our numerous captains of industry and keep in mind that nearly all were architects of their own fortune. Son—Sure! But you don't see any of them exhibiting blue prints of the details of construction.—Puck.

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TO THE BEACH
Suburban Schedule

(In Effect Monday, Oct. 13th. 1907.)
Daily Except Sunday.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
7:00 A M	6:25 A M	
7:30 A M	7:55 A M	7:45 A M
8:30 A M	8:25 A M	8:15 A M
10:00 A M	9:25 A M	9:15 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P.M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
5:30 P M	5:25 P M	5:15 P M
6:15 P M	6:25 P M	6:15 P M
7:00 P M	7:25 P M	7:15 P M
8:00 P M	7:55 P M	7:45 P M
9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Freight Schedule

Leave Wilmington 4:00 P. M. (daily except Sunday).

Freight received at Ninth and Orange from 3 to 4 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE SCHEDULE

Cars will be operated between Front and Princess and Seventeenth and Market every 20 minutes. Leaving Front and Princess at 6:50 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leaving Seventeenth and Market from 7 A. M. until 10 P. M.. All Suburban cars will make regular stops at Delgado.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
8:00 A M		
9:00 A M	8:55 A M	8:45 A M
9:30 A M	9:25 A M	
10:00 A M	10:25 A M	10:15 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
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6:15 P M	6:25 P M	6:15 P M
7:00 P M	7:25 P M	7:15 P M
8:00 P M	7:55 P M	7:15 P M
9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45 P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Carolina Place Schedule.
(Sundays)

Leave Front and Princess streets every 20 minutes from 8:30 A. M. to 9:50 P. M.

Leave 17th and Market streets every 20 minutes from 8:40 A. M. to 10 P. M. oc 13-tf

Schedule Steamer Atlantic

Effective September 1st.

Until further notice, Steamer Atlantic will leave Southport daily at 7:30 o'clock A. M. Leave Wilmington daily, except Sunday, at 2-30 o'clock P. M.

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One hundred dollars reward is hereby offered for delivery to the Sheriff of New Hanover County one L. M. Bryant, implicated in the killing of Banks Rothwell, colored by verdict of coroner's jury. Bryant is white, short, red complexion, light sandy hair, light stubby mustache, very talkative, and slouchy in appearance.

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Chairman County Commissioners.
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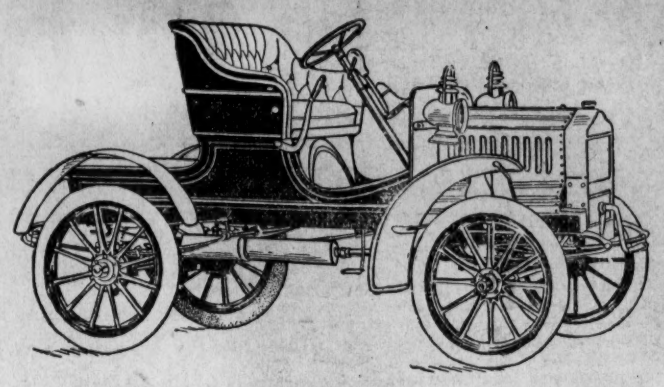

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ENTRY NO 9112.

North Carolina, New Hanover County. The undersigned H. T. Fergus and E. Hollis of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, enters and lay claim to the following described piece or parcel of land: In Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, State of North Carolina, the same being vacant and unappropriated land subject to entry, viz: Bounded on the north by Swimming Hole slew; on the east and south by Rock Hale slue; on the west by the channel of Myrtle Grove Sound and known as Skip Jack Shoal, containing two acres more or less.

E. HOLLIS,
By D. J. FERGUS,
H. T. FERGUS.

October 1st, 1907.

Entered and filed this first day of October, 1907, at 2:20 P. M. by Henry Horne, Deputy Register of Deeds and Deputy Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County.

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STEAMER WILMINGTON.

Effective September 11th the Steamer Wilmington will leave Wilmington daily for Southport at 2 P. M. and leave Southport daily at 8 A. M. Fare 25 cents.

J. W. HARPER.

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By Rail and Water

New York, Oct. 12.—The new steamship City of Savannah, the latest addition to the New York and Savannah line, came into port last week to await the start of her maiden voyage to Savannah Tuesday. The City of Savannah exceeds all other ships of the line in carrying capacity. She is 403 feet long and 49 feet in width, with a cargo capacity of 5,900 tons. The vessel will accommodate 116 first cabin passengers, 36 intermediate class passengers and 60 steerage passengers. The Savannah line, or the Ocean Steamship Company was organized in 1874. The line had nine steamships plying between this port and Savannah, and the carrying capacities of all these vessels would not equal that of the new City of Savannah.

There is said to be a hitch in the negotiations now in progress looking to the manufacture of a perfect steel rail and that the street rail manufacturers assert they cannot make the rail demanded by the committee of the American Railway Association. It is on the chemical composition of the steel that the railway men and the steel makers cannot agree. The railway committee wants a rail low in phosphorus and high in carbon, with a quarter of the molten mass at the top of the ingot cut off as a "discard." Further meetings on the subject are to be held, but it was stated yesterday that when E. H. Gary calls the general meeting of railway and steel manufacturers together there will be two reports presented instead of a joint report.

New Haven, Conn., Oct 10.—The annual report of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1907, was published last week. It shows gross earnings from operation of $55,601,936, as compared with $52,984,322 for the previous year. Operating expenses were $37,850,081, as compared with $35,222,586 for the previous year, and net earnings for operations were $17,751,854, as compared with $17,761,735 for the previous year. The surplus after dividends this year is $1,988,053, as compared with $3,718,285 last year. The reduction in the passenger rate to 2 cents a mile on the whole system, which was in full operation for seven months of the last fiscal year, shows that it resulted in a gain of passenger receipts, where a considerable loss was anticipated.

New York, Oct. 9.—Railway firemen on all eastern lines, according to a statement published today, are going to demand further increases in wages in the near future. Railroad officials who have been questioned on the subject say they will not grant the demands, and one Erie official is quoted as saying that wages are more likely to go down than up. The division chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, it is stated will meet Grand Master J. J. Hanahan in Buffalo on Tuesday next to formulate demands for what is termed a wage readjustment on the railroads in the territory embracing all the lines east of Chicago. It is stated that the scale of wages is by no means uniform and the firemen's officials are credited having declared that an aggressive fight will be made to obtain the adjustment that is to be asked for.

At the annual meeting of the American Pomological Society, held in the court of the States' exhibit building at the Jamestown Exposition, September 25 and 26, the Atlantic Coast Line's exhibit furnished a few crates of oranges, grapefruit, avocados, pineapples and Japan persimmons to help out the display. This society does not waste medals or awards, but unofficial advices are to the effect that of the various exhibits the Atlantic Coast Line was one of four to receive "honorable mention." As Florida fruits were a particular feature of the Atlantic Coast Line exhibit, and Mr. Wilbur McCoy, agricultural and immigration agent of the company, made no entries, but merely put in the display of fruit for the sake of Florida, the fact that this display received honorable mention from such a noted society, is something for Florida to be proud of.

Mr. Phillips press agent for Al G. Field's Minstrels says that Mr. Field had filed a complaint with the Interstate Commerce Commission through his lawyers, drawing official attention to the fact of the railroads overcharging theatrical companies and ignoring the interstate mileage rate "Last year," said Mr. Phillips, "we traveled over certain parts of the South at a one-cent rate for parties of twenty-five and over where we are being charged this season three and three and one-half cents a mile irrespective of the number of people carried. The railroads contend they have no other alternative but to charge a fixed rate until the difficulties between the state and federal courts relative to party tickets are settled. As it is, over six companies have cancelled their routes through the South, and of a number which started South eleven have gone on the rocks and closed." The Field show will be at the Savannah Theatre Saturday afternoon and night.

Unless the railroad agree upon some plan by which interstate passengers may secure the benefit of the reduced rates, the chances are, it is said, that Congress may take hold of the situation with a view of requiring it by legislatve enactment. In some Western States tickets are sold on the basis of the two-cent rate. This, however, is not generally done. In Virginia, for instance, the two-cent fare applies solely to intrastate business, the same being true in North Carolina. Moreover, a ticket to Washington from Richmond is on the basis of 3 cents, while a ticket from here to Alexandria is sold for 2 cents. Passengers, however, who buy to Alexandria get the benefit. The railroads have announced that no reduction in inter-state tickets will be made until the Supreme Court of the United States has finally passed upon the questions at issue, but efforts will probably be made to force them to give through travelers the same advantages enjoyed by those traveling between intrastate points. It is said that the Interstate Commerce Commission has refused to consider complaints, inasmuch as it regards the Federal and not the State law. The matter is of much interest to the public and passengers study the time tables with the utlmost care, their idea being to buy to the State lines and then buy to the destination.

The traveling passenger agent of the Central of Georgia, Mr. W. W. Hacket, has in his possession a fine souvenir of the Civil War. It is the coupon of a ticket issued to a Confederate soldier to transport him from Columbus, Ga., to Richmond, Va. It reads:

Soldier's Ticket.
No. 159. For one seat.
Augusta and Savannah Railroad.
Millen to Augusta.
(Signature) H. D. Cothran, Capt.
Issued by Muscogee Railroad.
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On the reverse side is this: "This ticket is isuued by agreement between the road issuing it and the quartermaster,general of the Confederate States, and each road is to render its account to the department, and this coupon is to be received as a sufficient voucher." It is a matter of speculation as to how the coupon came to be preserved. Mr. Hackett says that if the conductor between Millen and Augusta had "lifted" the slip it would have gone to the auditor's office and have been destroyed when the quartermaster's department redeemed the coupons with Confederate money. It is thought probably, therefore, that the soldier who held this pass must have walked to Augusta, or that he went up in a car so crowded with soldiers that he was overlooked by the conductor.—Washington Herald.

New York, Oct. 8.—Complaints against anti-railroad legislation of various States characterize the annual reports of three railroad companies which have just been issued, the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, the Wabash and the Chesapeake and Ohio.

President Edward P. Ripley, of the Atchison, says of rate reductions: "It is hoped and believed that the pubic will soon realize that its recent attitude toward railroad companies in general has not been just to their stockholders and bondholders and also that unless the confidence of investors in the security and stability of railway investments is restored it will be impossible to obtain the additional railway facilities which are necessary to the development of the country."

President George W. Stevens, of the Chesapeake and Ohio, says: "It would seem to be the interest of the communities and people served by its (the railroads) lines that the revenues should not be lessened or the credit injured by further reducing rates that are now inadequate to meet the physical requirements of the property and yield the return which shareholders may rightfully and reasonably expect."

President Frederick A. Delano, of the Wabash, speaking of enactments of two-cent passenger laws by Iowa, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri says: 'While these laws have not been effective during the fiscal year, and we cannot, therefore, determine accurately their results, it is quite clear that they must, if remaining in force seriously effect our passenger revenues."

THE VATICAN PALACE.

Its Existence Is Mainly Due to the Builder Pope, Nicholas V.

The present existence of the Vatican palace is principally due to Nicholas V., the builder pope, whose gigantic scheme would startle a modern architect. His plan was to build the church of St. Peter's as a starting point and then to construct one vast central habitat for the papal administration, covering the whole of what is called the Borgo, from the castle of Sant' Angelo to the cathedral. In ancient times a portico, or covered way supported on columns, led from the bridge to the church, and it was probably from this real structure that Nicholas began his imaginary one, only a small part of which was ever completed. That small portion alone comprises the basilica and the Vatican palace, which together form by far the greatest continuous mass of buildings in the world. The Coliseum is 195 yards long by 156 broad, including the thickness of the walls. St. Peter's church alone is 205 yards long and 156 broad, so that the whole Coliseum would easily stand upon the ground plan of the church, while the Vatican palace is more than half as large again.

Nicholas V. died in 1455, and the oldest parts of the present Vatican palace are not older than his reign. They are generally known as the Torre Borgia, from having been inhabited by Alexander VI., who died of poison in the third of the rooms now occupied by the library, counting from the library side. The windows of these rooms look upon the large square court of the Belvedere, and that part of the palace is not visible from without.

Portions of the substructure of the earlier building were no doubt utilized by Nicholas, and the secret gallery which connects the Vatican with the mausoleum of Hadrian is generally attributed to Pope John XXIII., who died in 1417, but on the whole it may be said that the Vatican palace is originally a building of the period of the renaissance, to which all successive popes have made additions.

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There is a tendency among Bob Whites toward local migration. In Virginia and Maryland particularly, they leave their Summer homes on the approach of Winter and congregate near the large water courses.

The habit of the bird during the hunting season is to move about most actively and feed in the early morning and late afternoon. The best shooting is to be had the hour before sunset, in the place where the birds have decided to spend the night. They roost on the ground, forming a solid ring, with tails in and heads out.

The Bob White as an ally of the farmers is chiefly valuable as a destroyer of weed seeds. Professor Judd made an estimate of what the Bob White would accomplish in this line for the farmers of the two States of Virginia and North Carolina from the beginning of September to the end of April.

He allowed four Bob Whites to each square mile of land, which is a low estimate, and would give 354,820 in the two States. The crop of each bird holds half an ounce of seed and is filled twice a day.

Since at each of the two daily meals weed seeds constitute at least half the contents of the crop, a half ounce daily is thus consumed by each bird, and on this basis the total consumption of seed in the two States covering the period mentioned would amount to 1,341 tons. A similar calculation shows that 340 tons of destructive insects would be consumed by the birds in the same period. The Bob White eats the Rocky Mountain locust, the chinch bug, the potato beetle, the cotton boll weevil and cotton worms and army worms.

Professor Judd estimated that with proper management some farms of from 500 to 1,000 acres would yield a better revenue from the raising of Bob Whites for the market than from poultry growing. In North Carolina many farms yield a regular income by this industry.

The shooting rights are leased to sportsmen who pay considerable sums for the privilege. In some places in Maryland, Virginia and North Carolina sportsmen pay from five to twenty-five cents for every bird shot.

Millions of dollars can be realized by the proper management of the quail crop of the United States. No game is so much sought for in the market as quail.

"The writer," says Professor Judd, "knows of a single dealer in Washington who in 1902 sold 100,000 quail. The present price is $3 to $5 a dozen, yet Audubon tells us that in 1810 the birds could be bought for twelve cents a dozen and in 1851 for fifty cents a dozen.

T. S. VanDyke, the author says: "Dear little Bob White has brought more rest to the business wearied soul, more new life to tired humanity than nearly all other American game combined." Professor Judd said that the pursuit of many kinds of game is possible only in the distant wilderness, where traveling is difficult and the exposure incident to the sport may be dangerous to health; but the pursuit of Bob White belongs to the open, accessible country, and is not too severe for men accustomed to a sedentary life.

To the thousands of such men quail hunting is the yearly means of restoration and results in a direct benefit to the community, though one not readily computed in money value. At a conservative estimate, between 300,000 and 400,000 sportsmen go out of the cities every fall to hunt Bob White, which means a large expenditure of money, much of which goes to farmers who hold shooting land.

FREE SPACE ABUSE

Rock Hill, S. C., Editor Sizes Up Situation Well.

(Rock Hill, S. C., Record.)

The demand for free advertising is in extent, persistency and ingenuity beyond the belief of any but those who have experience in the business. A man who would never think of going into a grocery store and requesting the proprietor to donate a barrel of flour or into a shoe store and telling the owner that if he has no objections he thinks he'll help himself to a pair of shoes will walk confidently into a newspaper office and proffer his request for several dollars' worth of free advertising and feel mightily offended if refused.

The solicitor of free advertising is always sure that the proprietor would be "glad for something to help fill up the paper." He is just as glad as the groceryman is glad of some one to help carry off his stock without payment. Time and again under the guise of news items matter is presented which is plain advertising and if used at all should be paid for as such.

The newspaper proprietor expects to furnish a certain amount of free advertising to religious, charitable and public enterprises. If he didn't he would be looked on as a heathen, hard-hearted mercenary, lacking in public spirit. His contribution is accepted as a matter of course, and rarely is he accorded a word of thanks. Sometimes he refuses to donate as much space as the promoter of some enterprise desires, and then he is looked upon as unreasonable and disobliging. The proprietor also expects and is willing to give a little free advertising to those who run paid advertisements in his paper.

This is a matter of business courtesy which is rarely abused. But with the hordes of solicitors for free advertising which constantly besiege the newspaper offices, with no possible claim upon his courtesies save the hope of getting something for nothing, the proprietor, has no sympathy whatever.

The duties that the newspaper proprietor and editor owe to the public are numerous, diverse and exacting. It is high time the public should understand that these do not include the sacrifice of a considerable amount of vf valuable space for the benefit of individuals or enterprises which give nothing in return.

BAN ON ATLANTIC CITY DOGS

Those Running at Large Are To Be Shot After Notice.

(Special to Baltimore Sun.)

Atlantic City, Oct. 12.—Mayor Stoy has issued a proclamation demanding that every dog owner for the next three weeks keep his dogs indoors. Additional ball cartridges were issued to the police tonight, with instructions to kill every dog seen on the streets except those held in leash.

This was brought about by a report of the University of Pennsylvania, where a physician treating a dog sent from Atlantic City to the veterinary department died of hydrophobia. When the news reached here there was a stir in official circles, and the Mayor said he preferred an ounce of prevention to a pound of cure and forthwith ordered all dogs tied up.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

I have this day qualified as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Isaac M. Bear, deceased, and hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Testator to present the same to me, duly verified on or before September 15th, 1908. All persons indebted to said Testator will please make immediate payment.

This September 14th, 1907.

HENRY C. BEAR, Executor of Last Will and Testament of Isaac M. Bear.
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore known and existing under the firm name and style of Brooks and Taylor, dealers in wholesale groceries, and the co-partnership heretofore known and existing under the firm name and style of Ed. Taylor and Company, dealers in fish, oysters and clams, both of which doing business in the city of Wilmington, N. C., are hereby this day mutually dissolved, John W. Brooks purchasing the wholesale grocery and commission business and Edgar Taylor purchasing the fish, oyster and clam business.

All debts, obligations and liabilities of the respective co-partnerships are assumed by the purchaser, and all accounts owing to the same should be paid to him.

Given under our hands and seals, this 14th day September, 1907.

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Ar. St. Louis	6:28 P. M.	7:13 A. M.
Ar. Louisville	11:20 A. M.	8:00 P. M.

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Happenings and Doings In Society.

BY M. H.

Miss DuBose Jones, of Columbia, S. C., is the gest of Mrs. William Latimer, on South Third street, where she will spend a short visit.

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Mrs. Joshua T. James is the guest of Mrs. C. B. Denson, on North Wilmington street in Raleigh, where she will remain some time.

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Savannah News: "Mr. and Mrs. Gladding Hull and Master Fred Hull, of Wilmington, N. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Hull on Duffy street."

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Mrs. Lucy Stanly, who has been visiting Mrs. James H. Chadbourn on South Third street, returned to her home in Chadbourn, N. C., on Thursday last.

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Mrs. William J. Martin, of Raleigh, who has been spending some time at the handsome country place of her father, Dr. W. D. McMillan, at Sloop Point, has returned to her home.

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Miss Jessie Brewer, of Danville, Va., who is pleasantly remembered here, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Claude Gore, at Rockingham, N. C., having stopped over a few days in Raleigh on her way down to Rockingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. P. M. Turner, of Raleigh, expect to spend a few days here at the home of Mrs. Turner's father, Dr. A. M. Baldwin, before going to Lexington, N. C., where Mr. Turner will locate for the practice of law.

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After a visit of several weeks to friends in Virginia, and several days pleasantly spent at the Jamestown Exposition, Mrs. Louisa J. Rahm returned to Wilmington on Tuesday last, much to the pleasure of her friends here.

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The many friends of Mr. W. F. West, Jr., now of Laurinburg, Va., were pleased to see him in Wilmington for several days during the past week. Mr. West is well remembered here, where he formerly resided for some time.

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Friends of Mr. J. Marion James, now of Spartanburg, S. C., will be pleased to know that he is expected to arrive in this city within a few days, when he will pay a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. James.

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Much to the regret of her many friends here, Mrs. R. B. Adams left, during the past week, for San Francisco, to join Lieutenant Adams. Mrs. Adams will be greatly missed in social circles here, and her departure is greatly deplored by all who know her.

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Miss Margaret Moran, who spent part of the past summer with her aunt, Miss Darby, returned to her home in Baltimore, last week. Miss Moran made many friends during her stay here, and her departure is a source of regret to all with whom she came in contact.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. James arrived in the city during the past week, from their home in Washington, D. C., and their numerous friends are pleased to see them here. Mrs. James will probably spend several months with her mother, Mrs. Geo. A. Peck, on South Third street.

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Miss Marguerite Holladay left, on Tuesday last, for Rock Hill, S. C., where she will visit as one of a number of guests of a large house party given by Miss Madge Jones. Misses Isabel Smallbones and Agnes McQueen also left on Tuesday, to attend the same house party.

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The banquet given by the Alumni of the University of North Carolina, on Friday night at the Colonial Inn, was largely attended, and was an occasion of great enjoyment to all. Prominent among the guests was, Hon. J. Crawford Biggs, who is in the city presiding over the Superior Court.

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The Home Science Department of the North Carolina Sorosis met Thursday afternoon in the club rooms and enthusiastically discussed plans for the year's work. This is one of the most important branches of the work of Sorosis and the ladies in charge have accomplished much.

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After a pleasant visit of several weeks, spent as the guest of Miss Bessie Loder, on Dock street, Miss Agnes Eppes returned to her home in Newport News several days ago. During her stay in Wilmington, Miss Eppes formed many friends, all of whom hope to have her return 'ere long.

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The Governing Board of L'Arioso German Club announces that the first german of the season will take place in the Masonic Temple on Wednesday, the 30th, of October. This event is anticipated with much pleasure by all those interested, and will probably be the first large social event of the season.

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Mrs. Hall McKoy and daughter, Mrs. Ernest Farrier, now of New Orleans, La., arrived in Wilmington during the past week, for a visit of several weeks. Mrs. McKoy and Mrs. Farrier joined Lieutenant and Mrs. Edwin A. Anderson at the Anderson home on Masonboro Sound, where they will spend their visit.

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The many friends of Mr. J. Creth Angel are glad to see him in Wilmington again, after an absence of over two years, spent in Panama, where he has been working with the Railroad Commission. Mr. Angel will be in the city several weeks, and will not return to Panama for some time, his vacation being an extended one.

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Mr. John P. Moore, Jr., and bride, nee Miss Rosamond Passano, of Baltimore, whose marriage was announced during the past week, have arrived in the city where they will be at home. Mr. Moore being engaged in the lumber business here. Miss Passano has frequently visited here and is much admired by many friends who will welcome her as Mrs. Moore.

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Mrs. Geo. A. Peck, Mrs. J. M. Stevenson, Mrs. Thomas W. Davis and Miss Peck, returned to Wilmington during the past few days after an absence of several weeks spent with Mrs. Geo. P. James, in Washington, D. C., and in the Western part of Virginia, and returning via Norfolk and the Jamestown Exposition. Their many friends are pleased to have them in the city again.

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The approaching marriage of Miss Margaret Dixon Smith to Dr. John S. Campbell, which will take place on Tuesday, October twenty-third, is anticipated with much pleasure by Miss Smith's many friends here. The bride to be, is a descendant of one of the oldest families of the lower Cape Fear, and Dr. Campbell is a physician of Chattanooga and prominent in social and professional circles in that city.

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The marriage of Miss Eva Murphy, of this city, and Mr. O. L. James, of Pelham, Ga., was celebrated at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sarah Murphy, on Walnut street, Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, the ceremony having been by Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor of Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The parlors of the home were very attractively decorated for the occasion and a number of friends and relatives were present to witness the pretty event. After reciving the hasty congratulations of friends, Mr. and Mrs. James left on the morning train for a bridal tour accompanied by the best wishes of a host of friends here where both are well known and very popular.

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A dispatch from New York city says: "Canes and swagger sticks for young women are the latest fad. Several of the feminine exponents of the idea were seen today in Fifth avenue carrying slender canes, which they flourished ever so lightly and touched from time to time upon the pavement as though to assist them in their steps. The new walking sticks are not more than half an inch in diameter, well polished and without much adornment. Some of them have a little band of sterling silver on the end of the right angled handle. One of the latest is of partridge wood from South America. It is considered proper to carry canes such as these with severely tailormade suits with short skirts, and those who have them are not supposed to bear even a purse of pocketbook."

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An item of some interest to Mr. Shachte's many friends, is the announcement of his approaching marriage to Miss Lela Austin, of Washington, D. C. The following handsomely engraved invitations have been received by friends in the city:

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Mr. Schachte is the recipient of many congratulations and wishes for his future happiness.

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Among those who are attending the State Convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy at Greensboro, are : Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, Mrs. M. S. Willard, Mrs. Creasy and Mrs. W. G. Pulliam. The following extract from the Greensboro News will be of interest to those connected with the Daughters of the Confederacy here: "The business session was largely occupied with reading and acting on reports from the treasurer, Mrs. I. W. Faison; the recording secretary, Mrs. F. M. Williams, of Newton; and the corresponding secretary, Mrs. O. W. Blacknil, of Kittrell. All these reports showed the organization in excellent condition, as did the reports from the many local chapters in the State. There are now 73 chapters in the State, with a membership of 3,075, while the membership of the united order is over 45,000, there being a chapter in New York city with 350 members. A resolution was adopted Tuesday providing that each chapter shall have the name of its city or town attached, for the purpose of better indicating its location."

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Monday afternoon and evening of the past week Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Snyder most delightfully celebrated their "tin wedding" at their hospitable home, the parsonage of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, on Sixth street, between Market and Princess. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder most cordially received their friends stationed beneath a magnificent bow-palm, smilax and pretty cut flowers, and the number of callers was very large, each one wishing their popular pastor and his good wife many happy returns. In an adjoining room dainty refreshments of salads, ice cream, cake, coffee and other refreshments were served by a bevy of charming young ladies who assisted Mr. and Mrs. Snyder in receiving. The decorations in this room were especially pretty and were made by Rehder, the florist, assisted by the ladies of the congregation, especially those of the Dorcas Society and the Mengert Mission Circle. A large number of very handsome wedding gifts, appropriate to the occasion were received by the host and hostess of an occasion htat will linger long in the pleasant recollection of those who were there.

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The announcement contained in last Tuesday's Baltimore Sun of the marriage of Mr. John P. Moore to Miss Rosa Passano, caused much pleasure to the many friends of this popular couple. The announcement reads as follows:

Mr. John P. Moore, Jr., and Miss Rosamond Passano were married at the Episcopal Church of St. Michael and All Angels by the rector, Rev. John Garner Murray at 4 P. M. yesterday. The bride and groom both being in mourning, the ceremony was witnessed by a few intimate friends. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Louise Passano and the late Leonard Passano, of Baltimore, and the groom is the only son of State Senator John P. Moore, of Snow Hill, Md. After the ceremony the bride and groom left for a wedding tour. They will make their home in Wilmington, N. C., where the groom is engaged in the lumber business.

The bride was formerly a resident of Wilmington, and since her departure for Baltimore, has been a frequent and popular visitor to Wilmington and the groom is very well known and has numerous friends here. The arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Moore is anticipated with a great deal of pleasure by their numerous friends.

AN INDIAN THEORY.

The Cause of Earthquakes, Tidal Waves and Volcanoes.

"When I lived among the Dakotas," said an old army officer, "I found men who, like Buddha, gave seven years of their lives to prayer and fasting, that they might become pure in the sight of God, or the Great Spirit, as they call that being. After they have proved themselves before their people by performing so called miracles, such as holding their hands and arms in boiling water and not being burned, shot with poisoned arrows and not harmed, bitten by rattlesnakes and not poisoned and many other tests that I have witnessed, they are accepted as holy or wise men. The Indians believe that they can get the word direct from God. or the Great Spirit, the same as the wise men and seers of old used to do. I have asked these intelligences to tell me about the cause of earthquakes and tidal waves, and they explain it like this:

"They say volcanoes are the safety valves of the earth; that the rim of the earth is gradually cooling. As it cools it contracts, making the pressure on the hot lava in the interior greater. At last something must give way, this rim must crack open, or the volcanoes must burst forth and emit this compressed lava.

"Sometimes it is relieved in one way, sometimes in another. Should the earth crack in midocean, where the crust is usually thinner, then the waters of the ocean fill in, and there is a great explosion as the water strikes this great bed of hot lava, large masses of the rim are thrown up, and islands appear. Sometimes they stay on the surface of the ocean, sometimes they fall back and are again covered with water, but that upheaval so lifts the water that a great wave is started for the shore that carries death and destruction in its way.

"Many of the old safety valves in the earth are now closing up; only a few remain. The crust is becoming so thick that the cooling process is more slow."—Seattle Times.

Deference to Royalty.

On the occasion of a visit by the king of Italy to Vesuvius an Italian newspaper announced that "the eruption had the honor of being witnessed by his majesty." It was a German paper which once stated that a certain royal prince "was graciously pleased to be born yesterday." Equally courtier-like was an army officer in attendance on the king of Spain. The king asked him what was the time. The courtier fumbled for his watch, but could not find it, then respectfully replied, "Whatever time your majesty pleases."

Octopus and Conger Eel.

Conger eels hunt for the octopus and, when found, proceed to browse on its limbs. The octopus tries to hug the slippery, slimy conger tight, but in vain, and, finding its limbs growing less, discharges its ink in the face of the foe and, under cover of the turbid water, beats a hasty retreat. It is to escape the too pressing attention of its foes that the octopus possesses the power of changing its color to correspond with that of its surroundings.

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FEATS OF THE CARPENTER BEE AND THE TUMBLEBUG.

The Sexton Beetle Is an Expert Gravedigger—Wonderful Skill of the Spider and the Great Strain That His Elastic Web Will Bear.

Long before man had thought of the saw the saw fly had used the same tool, made after the same fashion and used in the same way, for the purpose of making slits in the branches of trees so that she might have a secure place to deposit her eggs. The carpenter bee, with only the tools which nature has given her, cuts a round hole, the full diameter of her body, through thick boards and so makes a tunnel by which she can have a safe retreat in which to rear her young. The tumblebug, without derrick or machinery, rolls over large masses of dirt many times her own weight, and the sexton beetle will in a few hours bury beneath the ground the carcass of a comparatively large animal. All these feats require a degree of instinct which in a reasoning creature would be called engineering skill, but none of them is as wonderful as the feats performed by the spider. This extraordinary little animal has the faculty of propelling her threads directly against the wind, and by means of her slender cords she can haul up and suspend bodies which are many times her own weight.

Some years ago a paragraph went the rounds of the papers in which it was said that a spider had suspended an unfortunate mouse, raising it from the ground and leaving it to perish miserably between heaven and earth. Would be philosophers made great fun of the statement and ridiculed it unmercifully. I know not how true it was, but I know that it might have been true.

Some years ago in the village of Havana in the state of New York a spider entangled a milk snake in her threads and actually raised it some distance from the ground, and this, too, in spite of the struggles of the reptile, which was alive.

By what process of engineering did this comparatively small and feeble insect succeed in overcoming and lifting up by mechanical means the mouse or the snake? The solution is easy enough if we only give the question a little thought.

The spider is furnished with one of the most efficient mechanical implements known to engineers—viz, a strong elastic thread. That the thread is strong is well known. Indeed, there are few substances that will support a greater strain than the silk of the silkworm or the spider, careful experiment having shown that for equal sizes the strength of these fibers exceeds that of common iron. But notwithstanding its strength the spider's thread would be useless as a mechanical power if it were not for its elasticity. The spider has no blocks or pulleys, and therefore it cannot cause the thread to divide up and run in different directions, but the elasticity of the thread more than makes up for this and renders possible the lifting of an animal much heavier than a mouse or a snake. This may require a little explanation.

Let us suppose that a child can lift a six pound weight one foot high and do this twenty times a minute. Furnish him with 350 rubber bands, each capable of pulling six pounds through one foot when stretched. Let these bands be attached to a wooden platform on which stands a pair of horses weighing 2,100 pounds, or rather more than a ton. If now the child will go to work and stretch these rubber bands singly, hooking each one up as it is stretched, in less than twenty minutes he will have raised the pair of horses one foot.

We thus see that the elasticity of the rubber bands enables the child to divide the weight of horses into 350 pieces of six pounds each, and, at the rate of a little less than one every three seconds, he lifts all these separate pieces one foot, so that the child easily lifts this enormous weight.

Each spider's thread acts like one of the elastic rubber bands. Let us suppose that the mouse or snake weighed half an ounce and that each thread is capable of supporting a grain and a half. The spider would have to connect the mouse with the point from which it was to be suspended with 150 threads, and if the little quadruped was once swung off his feet he would be powerless. By pulling successively on each thread, and shortening it a little, the mouse or snake might be raised to any height within the capacity of the building or structure in which the work was done. So that to those who have ridiculed the story we may justly say, "There are more things in heaven and earth than are dreamed of in your philosophy."

What object the spider could have had in his work I am unable to see. It may have been a dread of the harm which the mouse or snake might work or it may have been the hope that the decaying carcass would attract flies, which would furnish food for the engineer. I can vouch for the truth of the snake story, however, and the object of this article is to explain and render credible a very extraordinary feat of insect engineering.—Follies of Science.

Era of Actium.

The "era of Actium," adopted during the early days of the Roman empire, commemorates the great victory gained by Octavius over the troops of Antony and Cleopatra, Jan. 1, B. C. 30. It was often used among the Romans both in writing and colloquially, just as in England people speak of events as occurring before or after the conquest, or as persons in this country frequently refer to events as having happened before or after the war.

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(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 12.—Never before has a North Carolina State Fair given so much promise of complete success either in the round of events that will contribute to the life of the event or in the number of people who will be attracted as does the fair this year in progress the coming week, October 15th to 18th. The variety and excellence of the fair exhibits in all departments, the trials of speed on the race track, the free open air shows and the midway attractions were never so pretentious as this year. And then there were never so many events of State-wide and even greater importance scheduled to take place during a State Fair week as this year. So the people of Raleigh are preparing to accord the best possible entertainment for the thousands of people who are confidently expected.

The Fair opens Tuesday morning with an address by Governor Glenn. At the same time there will be in session here the annual State convention of presidential and fourth class postmasters, this to convene Tuesday and be in session two days.

The crowning event of the whole week in State wide interest and the number of people to be attracted will be the ceremonies for the laying of the corner-stone for the North Carolina Grand Lodge Masonic Temple on Wednesday. For this event not less than ten thousand Masons from every part of the State and from neighboring States are sure to be here. On the same day there will be a meeting of the cotton growers of the State addressed by Harvie Jordan, president of the Southern Cotton Association; annual meeting of the North Carolina Historical Association with the principal address by Hon. Hannis Taylor, of Washington, and the annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans.

On Thursday there will be the address by Hon. William Jennings Bryan. For the coming of this distinguished American an elaborate programme has been arranged that will make this one of the most notable days of the great Fair.

Friday will be "education day" at the State Fair and there will be addresses by a number of prominent educators. On Friday night there will be the great marshal's ball which will be a grand finale for the ceremonies of the week.

For the ceremony of laying the corner-stone for the Masonic Temple Grand Master Franchis D. Winston is sparing neither time nor expense in his determination to have the affair worthy of the occasion. There have come assurances from Masonic lodges in every quarter of the State, including the rural lodges, that they will be largely represented. A special feature will be a thousand or more Knights Templar in full uniform that will add greatly to the martial appearance of the great procession that will be a feature of the ceremonies.

The temple which is to be seven stories of reinforced concrete throughout with outer walls of pressed brick and Tennessee granite is already up to the fifth floor with the concrete work, with the start on the outer walls just far enough advanced for placing the corner-stone in its position. The building is to be thoroughly fireproof and will cost upwards of $135,000.

The principal address is to be by Hon. James D. Richardson, who is at the head of Masonry in America, being chief of the thirty-second degree Masons. There will be an address by Grand Master Francis D. Winston. General W. R. Cox, of Edgecombe county, chairman of the Temple building committee, will review the history of movements in North Carolina for a Grand Lodge Temple in Raleigh.

The joint convention of presidential and fourth class postmasters of North Carolina will bring four hundred or more postmasters to Raleigh and the State Fair Tuesday and Wednesday. Postmaster Willis G. Briggs of the Raleigh postoffice has been untiring in his efforts looking to the complete success of this event. He personally called on the postal officials at Washington and secured the attendance of Postmaster General VonL. Myer.

—Lumberton Robesonian, Oct. 10: The contract for the machinery equipment of the St. Paul's Cotton Mill, which will be a 5,000 spinndle mill on hosiery yarns, was given yesterday to Mr. Edwin Howard, of Charlotte, Southern representative of the Mason Machine Works, Taunton, Mass. The officers of the mill, Mr. L. Shaw, president, and Mr. A. R. Mcachern, secretary and treasurer, both of St. Paul's and Mr. J. W. Kaneer, of Lumberton, who will be superintendent, met representatives of the machinery houses here.

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STATEMENT

Report of the Condition of the SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK, at the Close of Business, August 22nd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 920,609 87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		161 41
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		9,269 88
Furniture and fixtures		6,530 49
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		160,729 21
Due from State Banks and Bankers		162,034 27
Due from approved reserve agents		63,832 03
Checks and other cash items		10,071 47
Exchanges for clearing house		6,404 11
Notes of other National Banks		12,640 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		28 25
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$15,494 96	
Legal tender notes	9,400 00	24,894 96
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund		7,550 00
Total		$1,624,782 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	23,810 91
National Bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other National Banks	179,093 68
Due to State Banks and Bankers	284 989 43
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	14,555 63
Due to approved reserve agents	71,539 45
Individual deposits subject to check	355,608 43
Cashier's checks outstanding	185 42
United States deposits	50,000 00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	145,000 00
Total	$1,624,782 95

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

I, C. N. Evans, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of August, 1907.

C. E. TAYLOR, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:

MATT. J. HEYER,
EDUARD SHRIER,
ISADORE BEAR,
Directors.

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Do You Want to Sell? A Star Business Local Will Find a Buyer Promptly.

The Morning Star.

Sunday, October 13, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 13, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Saturday, October 12:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 55 degrees; 8 P. M., 63 degrees; maximum, 71 degrees; minimum, 53 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, .20 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Friady, .8 feet.

Forecasts.

For North Carolina—Fair Sunday, colder along the coast; Monday partly cloudy, light northwest shifting to northeast winds.

Port Calendar—Oct. 13.

Sun Rises .. ..6:05 A. M.
Sun Sets .. ..5:28 P. M.
Day's length .. .. ..11 hrs. 23 min.
High water at Southport 12:01 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 2:31 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. W. H. Fuchs—Shoes.
U. A. O. D.—Special Meeting.
Sloan & Sweeney—Removal.
A. David Co.—A Good Start.
Knights of Pythias—Attention.
Hamme, the Hatter—Fall Line.
Peterson & Rulfs—School Shoes.
Morris Distilling Co.—New Store.
A. D. Brown—Skirts, Suits, Coats.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—New Millinery.
F. A. Bissenger—October Weddings.
C. H. Fore & Co.—New Fall Goods.
For Sale—Red Cross Street Property.
Platt & Haar—Blowing Our Own Horn.
F. E. Hashagen Co.—Meal, Oats, Hay.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Trimmed Millinery.
Mercer & Evans Co.—Autumn Shoes.
D. L. Gore Co.—Jackson Square Brand Coffee.
Live Oak Camp, W. O. W.—Attention, Members.
Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M.—Special Convocation.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Four Lathers.
Bowen & Baker—Painting.
Salesmen—Attractive Line.
Wanted—Reliable Salesmen.
Mrs. A. W. Reiger—Voice Culture.
Moler Barber College—Catalogue.
For Rent—Furnished Upstairs Room
Typewriter Supply Co.—New Quarters.
Candycapps—Oysters and Other Delicacies.
California Cider & Ex. Co.—Salesmen Wanted.
Cape Fear Camp, U. C. V.—Attention Members.
Mrs. D. J. Seifert—German Language Taught.
American Magazine—Representatives Wanted.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. W. S. Bernard left yesterday for Charlotte to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

—Mr. Walter H. Savory, the popular Southern representative of the American Linotype Company, was in the city yesterday on a business trip and was pleasantly received by many friends made on previous visits to Wilmington.

—The many frends of Mrs. Allison Alderman will regret to know that she suffered quite a painful injury by falling down a flight of steps at her residence Friday afternoon. She has since been confined to her home, but her friends will be glad to know that she was somewhat improved yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mangum Turner arrived in the city last evening from Raleigh and will spend a few days here before going to Lexington, N. C., where Mr. Turner will locate for the practice of law. Mr. Turner was formerly city editor of the Messenger in this city and numbers his friends by the score, all of whom are glad to welcome him and Mrs. Turner back to the city, even if but for such a short visit.

DEATH OF COL. WOODWARD.

Seamen's Friend Society Takes Appropriate Action Upon Death.

The Seamen's Friend Society of Wilmington, N. C., upon the death of Col. W. J. Woodward, of this city, who has been for many years an active and useful member of that organization, has ordered to be placed upon its official records the testimony of his unfaltering fidelity to the cause of the moral and material betterment of the seamen in this port. His zeal and efficiency were constantly manifested as secretary and treasurer, as leader of the choir and as the president of the society.

With a mere handful of adherents, under whose unremitting care the work goes on, a heavy debt has been paid, the former debasing influence upon sailors in port overcome, the criminal and vital records of seamen raised above those of any other Atlantic port and the former stigma upon this port—which was known as the sailor's grave—entirely removed. These results have been attained largely by his assistance, without ostentation and almost without recognition, save by Him Who has said by the mouth of His holy apostles, "If any man's work abide, which he hath built upon Christ's foundation, he shall receive a reward."

On behalf of the Seamen's Friend Society,

JAMES SPRUNT, President.
JAMES I. METTS, Trustee.
A. D. McCLURE, Chaplain.
JAMES W. PRICE, Trustee.
J. H. WOOD, Secty. & Treas.

Beautiful plaid silk for waists at 75c. 85c and $1.00 the yard at Rehder's. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—A permit was issued yesterday for the building of a two-story, six-room residence for Mariah Jones, to cost $800.

—There will be a special convocation of Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., Monday evening at 8 o'clock to confer the Past Master's degree.

—The Piano Club will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Luther Memorial Building. A full attendance of members is desired.

—License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. James Pettet, of Masonboro, to Miss Mary E. Burriss, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burriss, also of Masonboro.

—Capt. William M. Smart, assistant surgeon on duty at Fort Caswell, N. C., has been ordered by the War Department to proceed to the Philippines and report for duty.

—Hamme, The Hatter, makes his announcement for the Fall trade through the columns of the Star this morning. He carries a full line of hats, clothing, gents' furnishings, etc., and promises the latest styles at the lowest prices.

—A Cleveland bicycle left at Front and Walnut streets night before last by Mr. Chas. Dushan was recovered by Officer Alex. Wells. Mr. Dushan had reported the wheel stolen, but was notified from the police station yesterday that the bicycle was there waiting for him to call.

—The Star has received with the compliments of Hugh MacRae & Co., several post card views, taken September 24th, 1907, showing the progress of the construction work of the Rockingham Power Company's plant. The plant will be ready to deliver power on the first of June of the new year.

—While being towed over the bar Friday afternoon the Norwegian barque Launberga, bound for Newport News, went ashore and the combined efforts of the Jones, Blanche and steamer Wilmington were required to get her off. The barque proceeded later in tow of the Jones for her destination. The Launberga went ashore on Frying Pan September a year ago and the vessel with cargo of lumber was afterwards sold.

WILMINGTON FAIR ASSOCIATION.

Takes Over Charter of Carolina Pleasure Palace, Incorporated.

The Wilmington Fair Association, Incorporated, takes over the charter of the Carolina Pleasure Palace, recently incorporated by the Secretary of State, and will begin business in Wilmington at once with all the privileges, franchises, etc., of the parent corporation, this action having been decided upon at a meeting of the Board of Directors at The Orton on Friday afternoon. The Fair Association starts off with a larger and wider field for its operation and will include all of the attractions offered by subscribers to the original stock. The most complete fair grounds in the State will be established, with stables, race course, grandstand, etc., with an athletic field of ample proportions. The secretary is already in correspondence with the State baseball league with reference to a regular series here next season, while an effort is being made to get the big leagues to send one or more teams here for their Winter practice. The race track feature will be made prominent and an effort will be made to get on one of the largest circuits in the country as well as providing stables here for many of the horses from the race courses North. The transfer stock books will be opened Monday and at the same time an opportunity will be given the general public to take further stock in the enterprise, the shares being only $10 each for the common stock issue. Officers and directors have been elected as follows:

President—John A. Arringdale.
First Vice President—J. H. Hinton.
Second Vice President—C. N. Evans.
Secretary and Manager—A. E. Peschau.
Treasurer—W. A. French, Jr.
Board of Directors—C. W. Polvogt, J. A. Arringdale, J. H. Hinton, J. Walter Williamson, Rev. C. Dennen, J. H. Rehder, Jake L. Solomon, W. D. McMillan, Jr., C. N. Evans, Dr. T. M. Green, Dr. T. B. Carroll, Jas. F. Post, Z. W. Whitehead, J. G. L. Gieschen, A. E. Peschau, Col. Walker Taylor, Wm. E. Springer, J. V. Grainger and Henderson Cole.
Executive Committee—J. A. Arringdale, W. A. French, Jr., and W. D. McMillan, Jr.
Finance Stock Soliciting Committee—W. D. McMillan, Jr., A. E. Peschau and W. A. French, Jr.

Unveiling Ceremonies Today.

Attention of Woodmen of the World is called to the official notice to members in another column of today's Star with reference to the exercises attending the unveiling of a handsome monument over the grave of their late sovereign, Alex. Hewlett, on Masonboro Sound this afternoon. The exercises promise to be largely attended, and of the usual pretty and appropriate nature. Robert W. Davis, Esq., of Southport, is expected here to deliver the address upon the occasion. Many of the Woodmen and members of their families will go to Masonboro for the exercises in wagonettes.

Police Court Yesterday.

In the police court yesterday Willie Lane, Robert Hill and Luther Ray, the three negroes caught gambling at Tenth and Market streets by Special Officer J. C. Long Friday afternoon, were each bound to the January term of the higher court under bond of $50. Joe Douglass, an over-eager hack driver who was making a nuisance of himself at the union passenger shed Friday afternoon and was run in by Officer M. P. Newton, was let off with the cost and admonished not to be so zealous in his occupation in the future.

New Millinery arriving daily at Rehder's. **

School Shoes that will do their duty at Peterson & Rulfs. oc 13-2t

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements By Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Carolina Place: Services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of lessen sermon, "Doctrine of Atonement." All are invited.

Fifth Street M. E. Church, South, Rev. Kenneth D. Holmes, pastor: Services, 11 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3 o'clock P. M.; R. V. Leonard, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Seats free. Public cordially invited to all services.

Southside Baptist Church, Fifth and Wooster streets, Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor; Preaching by the pastor Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. The pastor will preach at Masonboro at 3:30 P. M. Sunday.

Bladen Street M. E. Church, North Fifth street, Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor: Preaching today at 11 A. M., and at 8:15 P. M. by the pastor. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8:15. The public is cordially invited to any and all of these services.

St. John's Church, corner Third and Red Cross streets, 20th Sunday after Trinity. Services this morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 4 P. M. Seats free; strangers cordially invited.

Brooklyn Baptist Church, Fourth and Brunswick. Rev. Chas. F. Whitlock, pastor: Preaching at 11 A. M. and at 8 P. M. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. C. C. Rice superintendent. All are cordially invited.

Services at Front Street Advent Church, between Dawson and Wright streets, Sunday at the usual hours, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., conducted by Elder J. W. S. Harvey. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 P. M. The public is cordially invited to attend.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street, Rev. C. R. W. Kegley, pastor: Sunday School at 10 A. M. Preparatory and Holy Communion services at 11 A. M. Vesper services at 7:30 P. M., our last service here. Young People's Society Thursday at 8 P. M. Every person welcome.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor: 20th Sunday after Trinity. Services will be conducted by the pastor in the Luther Memorial Building, Sixth and Princess streets. German service of confession and absoluiotn, 10:30 A. M. German service with the Lord's Supper at 11 A. M. Vesper service at 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to all.

Church of Christ: The services of the Church of Christ will be held today in its new tabernacle Seventh and Orange streets. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Preaching and Communion at 11 A. M. Evening services at 7:45 P. M. All are cordially invited; strangers especially.

Market Street M. E. Church, South: 8 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. To all these services the public is cordially invited

Grace Church, corner Fourth and Grace streets, N. M. Watson, pastor: Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Epworth League, Friday at 8 P. M. Official Board meets Monday at 8 P. M. Bible Study Tuesday at 8 P. M. A cordial welcome to all services.

St. Thomas' Church: First mass, 7 A. M. Last mass, sermon, 10:30 A. M. No evening service.

St. James' Church, Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector: Holy Communion, 7:45 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 A. M.; Sunday School, 3:45 P. M.; evening prayer, 5 P. M.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Fourth and Orange streets, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, rector. Services Sunday, October 13th. Morning service and sermon at 11 A. M. Sunday School at 4 P. M. Evening service at 8 P. M.

AN OPERATION NECESSARY.

Miss Lucile Kingsbury Still Suffering From Injuries Received.

Miss Lucile Kingsbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Kingsbury, of this city, who was so badly injured in the Southern Railway wreck near Brevard, N. C., two months ago and who recently arrived home in Wilmington, is still suffering from her injuries and yesterday it became necessary for her to undergo an operation for the removal of a piece of shattered glass from the flesh, this having been from one of the broken windows in the car in which she was riding with her mother at the time. The operation was successfully performed by Drs. F. H. Russell and John B. Cranmer, the piece of glass having been triagular in shape and an inch and a quarter long. The glass narrowly missed severing one of the main arteries and was found near the bone. Friends of Miss Kingsbury will be delighted to know that she is doing very well, indeed, and hopes to be out again soon.

Mrs. Kingsbury, who was also injured in the wreck, is still suffering, and her condition requires the almost constant attention of a physician.

On Pleasant Mission.

Mr. George F. Hunt, of the Wilmington Furniture Company, accompanied by his best man, Mr. J. M. Coffee, will leave this morning for Burlington, N. C., where on Tuesday of this week he will wed Miss Nerta J. Holt, an attractive young woman of that town. Many friends in this city will be pleased to welcome Mr. Hunt and bride as residents of this city upon their return from a bridal tour North which will follow the ceremony at Burlington Tuesday.

At Boys' Brigade Armory.

Colonel Walker Taylor will be the speaker at the men's meeting at the Boys' Brigade armory this afternoon at 5 o'clock and all members of the Brigade and the young men of the city generally are invited to hear him. There will be music and other entertaining features of the afternoon.

New Millinery arriving daily at Rehder's. **

$2.50 New Easel Curtain Stretcher only $1.98.

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New Plaid Silks for Waist, beautiful Pattern, 75c, 85c, and $1.00 the yard.

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THE BEAUTY OF OUR TRIMMED MILLINERY is on the tip of every tongue. It has created a great sensation; its daring, dashing style; its quiet, modest models, and the long stretches of beautiful creations in between have made the collection the talk of the town.

Each day finds added to our already complete stock, new models of elegance and refinement.

This week we will have for special offering:

Children's Trimmed Hats, all colors, trimmed with ribbon or silk bows, ponpon tips or wings, $1.75 to $3.98.

Child's Rolling Brim Sailors with ribbon bands and streamers, all colors 50c. to $1.50.

Misses' School Hats, with scarf, all colors, 98c to $2.50.

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors in silk and velvet, broad bows, all colors at $2.50.

Ladies' ready-to-wear Hats, all colors and shapes, all the novelties, 50c up to $2.98.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, the vacation shapes, trimmed, silk, velvet and roses, all the new shades, at $5.98.

Large Trimmed Hats, drooping effect, very stylish, long plumes or fluffy feather trimming, at $9.50.

Medium shapes, droop effect, made of silk and velvet, trimmed with morning glories and ornaments, the newest styles, at $8.98.

CLOAKS AND FURS.

Children's Red Box Coats, 3 to 6 years at $2.50.

Children's Bearskin Coats, red, gray, navy, brown and white sizes, 2 to 6 years, $3.50 to $5.00.

Misses' School Coats of mixed Kersey, sizes 8 to 14 years, $2.50 to $5.98.

Furs and Neck Pieces, $1.25 to $45.00.

Muff to match Neck Pieces, $2.50 to $25.00.

Babies' Long White Coats, 98c to $3.75.

See the New Mattings, Carpets and Rugs; fine line.

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Many new things, 5 and 10c Department.

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The Herrick Shoes for Ladies

strictly up to the minute in snap and style, in Gun Metal, Tan and Pat. Leathers, price $2.50 to $3.50.

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for children is the only sensible shoe a child ought to wear; it has a wide broad toe and will not cripple their little feet. Phone us your number. We will send the size you need. Also the Buster Brown School Shoe, the shoe that outwears all other makes.

Boys' Suits

This is where you get YOUR MONEY BACK. THIS INDESTRUCTIBLE SUIT FOR $3.50 is guaranteed to you not to rip; if it does we replace it with a new one.

Boy's Suit with TWO PAIR OF PANTS; this is what every boy wants to be dressed right, one pair of Knickerbockers and one straight pair for the small sum of $4.00.

Boys' Pants—Our line is complete. Just arrived, a lot of Blue Serges and Fancy Worsteds, sizes from 3 to 17 for 50 to $1.50 a pair.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S CLOTHING.

Our stock is now complete. Men's Suits in all sizes, in stouts, slims, single and double breasted. A beautiful line of Black Thibets, Unfinished Worsteds and Granites; prices ranging from $10.00 to $25.00.

One lot of that Sault and Pepper Mixture, Heavy Weight Worsteds, a suit of the best tailoring single and double breasted, price $15.00.

Brown effects, neat Stripes and Checks, Hard Finished Worsteds, an ideal business Suit, price $15.00.

Every Suit is displayed on our new display racks, which makes it easy to inspect our line.

Men's Pants.—Have just received a consignment of Sweet Orr & Co.'s Union-Made and Schloss-Make Trousers; a complete assortment of patterns, ranging up to $7.50 a pair.

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OYSTERS.

We are now daily receiving those fine Lynnhaven Bay Oysters, served on a half shell, stewed or fried, and with a bottle of imported Munchener, a Pabst Blue Ribbon, or a Budweiser or a Schlitz, they are delicious.

A nice little luncheon that a man appreciates he can always get at the

ATLANTIC CAFE
OPPOSITE UNION DEPOT.
GIESCHEN BROS., Props.

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Read today's Business Locals.

LUMBERTON NEWS NOTES.

Live Items From The County Seat of Robeson.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Again this week Lumberton and vicinity have been well represented at Jamestown. Several of those going from here went on to New York on business.

It is learned that in the near future the Baptist congregation here expect to erect a handsome new church, to cost not less than $20,000.

Sheriff McNeill, who is now making a round of the county for the purpose of collecting State and county taxes, reports collections rather slow.

James Baker, a white man who was recently sentenced to the chain gang, made his escape a few nights ago and is still at large.

Duncan Lyon, a negro employed at the Seaboard depot, was arrested and jailed this week on three charges. Officer Biggs had a warrant for his arrest for threatening to shoot another negro, and when he went to serve the warrant, the negro resisted, knocking the officer and a bystander down. When he was subdued and searched a pistol was found on his person.

We are reminded that one year ago today this section was visited by a killing frost. While it has been nearby, we have had none so far this season.

Mr. Geo. B. McLeod has in his yard an apple tree which has for several seasons bloomed in the Fall as well as the Spring, being now in bloom for the second time this year.

The special term of Superior Court which began Monday of last week, closed Wednesday. The next court for Robeson will be a criminal term, beginning November 4th.

Captain Charles Lamb, of Feirro, New Mexico, is visiting relatives in Lumberton. Captain Lamb is a native of Fayetteville, but left about fifteen years ago for New Mexico where he engaged in the railroad business and has since resided.

Mr. Eugene Wright and family, of Bluefield, W. Va., after spending some time here visiting relatives, returned to their home this week. Mrs. Wright is pleasantly remembered here and by many friends in Wilmington as Miss Belle Freeman.

Many friends regret the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Townsend, who have removed to Charlotte, where Mr. Townsend is engaged with the General Fire Extinguisher Company.

Mr. T. E. Petty, of the Seaboard, has been transferred from Cameron to Lumberton where he becomes chief clerk to Mr. R. C. Birmingham, who was made agent a few days ago.

Mr. W. H. Newberry, at one time a resident of Lumberton, but who moved away nearly forty years ago, has been a visitor here this week.

It is expected that many of our people will go to Fayetteville Tuesday to hear Mr. Bryan speak. A good many will also attend the State Fair, the railroad fare to which is $3.90 for the round trip from Lumebrton.

Business has increased to such an extent that the Seaboard now runs a daily freight between Hamlet and Lumberton, leaving Hamlet in the morning and returning in the afternoon. Nothing but solid cars are handled.

Mr. S. H. Hamilton, manager of the Western Union office here, leaves tomorrow for Jamestown, Richmond and Washington. During his absence his duties will be looked after by Mrs. M. Benson, of Monroe.

FIRE DEPARTMENT BUSY.

Three Alarms Yesterday But All of Small Consequence.

The Fire Department responded to three alarms of fire yesterday, but in neither instance was the loss more than trifling. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the alarm from box 16 was on account of a small blaze caused by sparks from a chimney at 510 Brunswick street, owned by Robert Banks and occupied by Cora Mills. The damage was about $30, and was covered by insurance.

The alarm at 2:20 yesterday afternoon from box 49 was on account of a trifling blaze from the same cause at 814 South Fifth street, owned by C. P. Merritt and occupied by Cornelia Pollock, the damage being trifling. Hardly had the apparatus returned from 49 before another alarm was sent in from 55, which was caused by some straw burning in a horse stable on Eighth, between Wright and Meares streets. The damage there was of no consequence.

REV. W. E. COX CALLED.

Greenville Rector Comes to St. John's Episcopal Church.

Rumors that have been current some days to the effect that Rev. W. E. Cox, of Greenville, N. C., had accepted the call to the parish of St. John's Episcopal Church in this city, were confirmed yesterday by members of the vestry upon receipt of a letter of acceptance from the reverend gentleman. Mr. Cox is expected to arrive in the city to take up his duties as rector of the parish on the first of November. He is one of the ablest of the younger members of the diocese and the parish accounts itself exceedingly fortunate in securing him. He will be given a cordial welcome to Wilmington, where he is already well known and popular.

Real Estate Transfers.

By deeds filed for record yesterday W. A. McGowan and wife transferred to W. M. Cumming, for $10 and other considerations, property on South side of Queen, 99 feet west of Front street, 33x66 feet in size, on east side of Surry, 132 feet south of Queen street, 30x90 feet in size, and a third tract situated elsewhere in the city, and Mrs. Eva B. Register, for natural love and affection, transferred to her daughter, Miss Minne Lee Register, property on north side of Chesnut, 66 feet east of Ninth street, 51x60 feet in size.

Accommodations for transient custom at "The Harnett." Building formerly occupied by Mrs. Mayo.
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New Millinery arriving daily at Rehder's. **

FIRE AT NAVASSA

Large Receiving Warehouse Burned Early This Morning.

The large receiving warehouse immediately on the river front at Navassa guano factory, four miles from the city, was completely destroyed by fire between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning together with its contents consisting of burlaps, bags and a large quantity of fertilizer constituents. The colored employes about the place fought the fire manfully and it was only through their efforts that the large factory building proper, in close proximity, was saved. No assistance was asked from the city and none was given as it was impossible to learn any particulars of the fire here.

The building is possibly 75x150 feet in size and was a frame structure that burned like tinder. The fire started early in the evening among some burlaps, but the hose at the factory was brought to play upon it and it was thought that the flames had been extinguished. The fire, however, kindled up again at the late hour and it was impossible for the men on the place to do anything until the entire structure went up in flames. No estimate of the loss could be obtained this morning.

The Seaboard Air Line train in charge of Capt. W. B. Williams arrived at the factory when the fire was burning fiercest and passengers were delayed there for an hour until the fire could be gotten under control. Several box cars alongside the warehouse were pulled out by an A. C. L. freight engine, which was also tied up there.

ACCEPTED BRIBE OF $70,000

Pittsburg Councilman Says Corporations Tempted Officials.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Pittsburg, Oct. 12.—Ex-Councilman William A. Martin recently convicted on a charge of soliciting a bribe as a member of council, in connection with the Pittsburg and Tube City Railroad scandal, declared today that no other councilman were implicated and none were to share the $70,000 which he was to get for securing the passage of the franchise ordinance. Martin made an interesting statement in which he asserted that corruption in councils is almost wholly due to corporations putting temptations in the way of members, Martin claims the great majority of whom were "elected with honest convictions and motives." He declared that councilmen have been offered money, and that recently by rival corporations to vote both for and against the same measures and that it querries members of the strongest character to resist the allurements constinually being thrust upon them.

The ex-councilman who has been sentenced to serve three years in the Western Penitentiary says he is prepared to bear the punishment that has been meted out to him by law.

FRESH BEAR SIGNS SEEN

President Roosevelt Will Remain in Camp in Canebrake.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Sstamboul, La., Oct. 12.—The President will not go to Tensas parish tomorrow, as he announced yesterday he would. A courier arrived from the Bear Lake camp at 9 o'clock tonight saying that such excellent bear signs had been discovered there as to persuade him that it would be unwise to change and he decided at the last moment not to do so.

The hunt today has been confined to the Bear lake neighborhood and residents of this section familiar with both that region and the Monticello region assert that the probability of securing big game in the lake quarter is much better than ever it was at the old camp ground. A negro just in from the lake says that fresh bear signs there are plentiful. Provision will be made immediately for the improvement of his accommodations which now are quite meagre.

ONE KILLED EIGHT INJURED

Wreck on Louisville and Nashville in Alabama.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 12.—One man was killed and eight injured when Frisco passenger train No. 203 due here at 5:45 A. M. was run into by a Louisville and Nashville freight train at Pratt City, six miles west of here at 6 o'clock this morning. The Pullman car "Leeds", third from the end, was struck squarely and thrown on its side. Every passenger received injries. Pullman Conductor J. C. Smith was instantly killed, the body being badly mangled. He was a brother of Managing Editor Eli P. Smith of the Birmingham News.

Thomas W. Phillips, wealthy oil and gas magnate and former member of Congress from Western Pennsylvania, yesterday made an unsuccessful effort to have the Foreign Christian Missionary Board of America return $25,000 given by John D. Rockefeller, on the ground of "tainted money." The money was accepted with a final clause providing that no more will be solicited from the same source.

Mrs. Claudia Bodey Money, wife of the senior Senator from Mississippi, H. D. Money, died suddenly at the Money residence on the Gulf coast near Beauvoir, Miss., Friday night.

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

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READ THE STAR BUSINESS LOCALS.

TWENTY-TWO WENT TO BOTTOM

Steamer Foundered on Lake Superior With Terrible Results.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Salt Ste Marie, Mich., Oct. 13.—Bound down from the head of the lake on the second trip she had made since being launched at Lorain, Ohio, on August 17 last, the fine steel freighter Cyprus, 440 feet long and owned by the Lackawana Transportation Company, of Cleveland, foundered last night in Lake Superior, off Deer Park, taking down with her twenty-two members of the crew. Second Mate C. J. Pate, washed ashore lashed to a life raft, is the only person left alive of the ship's crew and his condition is so critical that since he was found on the beach he has only been able to gasp out the name of the sunken ship and the fact that 22 lives were lost. Pitt is suffering from the dreadful exposure in the icy waters of Lake Superior in addition to the buffetting he received from the breakers. Until he recovers sufficiently to tell the story of the wreck the exact cause of the stout steel ship foundering will not be definitely known. Dear Park is about thirty miles south of Grand Maires on the shore of Lake Superior. Several bodies from the wreck have washed ashore and two are known to be those of the first mate and the watchman.

Marine men suggest as possible explanations of the foundering that the engines became disabled; that the plates opened and that the ship sprang aleak and that the hatches may not have been securely battened, permitting the steamer to fill with water from the waves washing over her decks.

After hours of constant nursing, Second Mate Pitt recovered consciousness and gave a graphic account of the last moment's of the crew aboard the ill-fated vessel.

STEAMER HELPLESS AT SEA.

Has Large Crew and Passenger List. Relief Sent.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

San Francisco, Oct. 12.—The overdue Oceanic liner Mariposa, which plies between this city and Tahiti and South Sea Island is reported ninety miles off Monterey helpless and without fuel. First mate Watson with a boat's crew rowed sixty-seven miles to the wharf at Monterey through the dense fog which prevails on the coast, and from that point sent a report of the Mariposa's friends in this city. The tug Marshall went at once to tow the Mariposa to this city. She is expected to arrive here tomorrow. In addition to a crew of 68 the Mariposa had fifty passengers on board.

One one previous trip trouble was experienced by the Mariposa with her oil fuel and it became necessary for the liner to burn copra composing a portion of her cargo. The Mariposa was due Wednesday last.

This was the first time in 24 years that the liner from Tahiti had failed to arrive on schedule time. The ship is in no way damaged.

CONCORD CHAPTER, NO 1, R. A. M.

CAMPANIONS:

There will be a special Convocation Monday evening at 8 o'clock to confer the Past Masters degree.

By order of the High Priest.

W. A. MARTIN,
Secretary.

oct 13 1t

TO THE PYTHIANS OF WILMINGTON.

All resident Pythians in Wilmington are hereby summoned and all visiting Pythians are earnestly requested to assemble at Castle Hall on Chesnut street at 7:30 A. M. on Sunday, the 13th, to escort the body of our deceased brother, Wm. J. Woodward, Past Grand Chancellor and Aid-de Camp, uniform rank, to the depot. The prominence of our brother in Pythianism invites a full attendance to pay this last tribute of respect.

W. C. CRIST, Grand Chancellor.

Castle Hall, Stonewall Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias.

By order of the Grand Chancellor all members of the above lodge are hereby summoned to appear at the Pythian Castle Hall on Chesnut street at 7:30 A. M. Sunday morning, 13th inst., to escort the remains of Past Grand Chancellor W. J. Woodward to the depot. Visiting Pythians are invited to attend.

By order of Chancellor Commander
WM. C. SMITH,
Keeper of Records and Seal.

Castle Hall, Clarendon Lodge No. 2, Knights of Pythias.

By order of the Grand Chancellor all members of the above lodge are hereby summoned to appear at the Pythian Castle Hall on Chesnut street at 7:30 A. M. Sunday morning, 13th inst., to escort the remains of Past Grand Chancellor W. J. Woodward to the depot. Visiting Pythians are invited to attend.

By order of Chancellor Commander
J. F. LITTLTON,
Keeper of Records and Seal.

Castle Hall, Germania Lodge N. 4, Knights of Pythias.

By order of the Grand Chancellor all members of the above lodge are hereby summoned to appear at the Pythian Castle Hall on Chesnut street at 7:30 A. M. Sunday morning, 13th inst., to escort the remains of Past Grand Chancellor W. J. Woodward to the depot. Visiting Pythians are invited to attend.

By order of Chancellor Commander
JOHN HAAR,
Keeper of Records and Seal.

Castle Hall, Jefferson Lodge No. 61, Knights of Pythias.

By order of the Grand Chancellor all members of the above lodge are hereby summoned to appear at the Pythian Castle Hall on Chesnut street at 7:30 A. M. Sunday morning, 13th inst., to escort the remains of Past Grand Chancellor W. J. Woodward to the depot. Visiting Pythians are invited to attend.

By order of Chancellor Commander
A. S. HOLDEN,
Keeper of Records and Seal.

oct 13 1t.

HELEN MALONEY'S CAPERS.

Did Not Consider Herself Married to Osborn.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 12.—The disappearance of Miss Helen Maloney, who is supposed to have left New York a week ago with Samuel Clarkson, a young Englishman, is still an unsolved mystery, according to William J. Fanning, counsel for Martin Maloney, fatehr of the missing girl.

Arthur H. Osborn, who claims he was married to Miss Maloney two years ago at Mamaroneck, called on Mr. Fanning yesterday at his office.

"The story of the marriage he told me was substantially as has been published," said Mr. Fanning today. "I have only his word for it, however, as he had no marriage certificate with him. From what I know of Helen I am inclined to believe she considered the Osborn marriage more in the nature of a lark than anything else. She has been reared strictly in the Catholic faith, and, therefore, a marriage by a justice of the peace would not be regarded by her as binding.

TRAIN RAN MILE A MINUTE.

To Reach Sick Man 136 Miles Was Made at That Rate.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Oct. 12.—Col. L. C. Weir, president of the Adams Express Company, passed through here early today on his way to New York in a serious physical condition. Colonel Weir has been in the South for some weeks on account of ill health. He was taken suddenly worse and started for New York. He telegraphed to New York for two specialists to meet him here. The specialists started at once on a specail train which covered the 136 miles from Philadelphia to Washington in 163 minutes.

A resolution calling for separate schools for Italians, Syrians and Russian Jewish children in Hattiesburg was adopted yesterday by the Hattiesburg, Miss., Board of Education. It will be presented to the city council next week in an effort to obtain funds for erecting separate school buildings. Recent race antagonism in this vicinity, especially against Italians, is the cause of the resolution.

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CAPE FEAR CAMP, NO. 254, U. C. V.—Comrades will assemble at the residence, No. 210 North Second street, this (Sunday) morning at 7:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of Comrade William J. Woodward. By order of the Commander. R. W. Price, Adjutant. oc 13-1t

MRS. D. J. SEIFERT, Southeast corner of Chesnut and Ninth streets, will open classes for the instruction of German Language. For particulars, please call or write. oc 13-1t*

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THE GILBERT HOUSE will remain at the same old stand and will be glad to accommodate the public in regular, transient and table board. A. M. Gilbert. se 8 3m.

EXPERT PIANO TUNING—Mr. A. L. Henderson, one of our factory tuners, is in the city. Orders left at the store for expert tuning and repairing will receive prompt attention. Stieff Piano Co., 213 Princess St. oc 9-1w

A LARGE LOT of ink barrels and kegs for sale cheap. Apply at the Star office. oct 5 tf

WANTED—For U. S. Army: able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Men wanted now for service in Cuba. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 101 Princess st., Wilmington, N. C. au 15 to de 31

AGENTS WANTED—A few live men in Easter Carolina can get a most desirable contract for the best selling Building & Loan and Insurance proposition of the year. Our insured stock is interesting to everybody. Apply giving references to Southern Mutual Home & Real Estate Co., 209 North Front street. se 8 tf

DENTISTRY—Dr. Matthews wishes to announce that he has returned to the city. His office will be at the same place, 123 Market street. Dr. Matthews wishes further to announce that he will make a specialty of treating diseases of the mouth and of the administration of anesthetics for all gentle and minor surgical operations. se 29 tf

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NOTICE—I have moved my real estate office to No. 21 South Second street, and will be glad to serve all my customers there. C. P. B. Mahler, 'Phone 184. oct 1 tf

FOR SALE—Small store in mill town, three to four thousand, pay roll monthly. Address "Rex", Hope Mills, N. C. oct 12 3t

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TWO YOUNG MEN experienced in "making ready" and running job presses and with one or two years practical experience in hand composition may secure employment at good wages by applying at or addressing the Morning Star. oct 10 tf

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ATTENTION WOODMEN.

Members of Live Oak Camp No. 6, Woodmen of the World, will assemble at their hall today (Sunday) at 12:30 for the purpose of attending the Unveiling Ceremonies of our deceased Sovereign, L. A. Hewlett, at Masonboro Sound. Members can arrange to go in wagonettes at reasonable price or suburban cars to Masonboro crossing.

J. W. Fleet, W. G. A. Otersen and John E. Wood, managers.
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NOTICE U. A. O. D.

Members of Myrtle Grove No. 3, U. A. O. Druids by order of Noble Arch are hereby instructed to assemble in our new Hall third floor St. John's Building old Masonic Hall, Market street to consider business of importance. Failure to attend this meeting may result in a fine.

H. E. BONITZ,
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Fayetteville Observer: Mr. C. Gresham, who owns half interest in the LaFayette Hotel, has bought the elegant St. John's Hotel, which is the finest in Charleston, and one of the best in the South. He expects to name it "Hotel Gresham," and make it the pride of his life in the hotel business.

—Lumberton Robesonian: Among those appointed by Major E. J. Hale, chairman of the Bryan reception committee, as out-of-town members of the committee which will receive and welcome William Jennings Bryan on the occasion of his visit to Fayetteville next Tuesday, are Colonel N. A. McLean, of Lumberton; Hon. G. B. Patterson, of Maxton, and Hon. D. P. McAchern, of Red Springs.

Lumberton Robesonian: At the meeting of the board of aldermen last Thursday night, Dr. J. W. Griffith, of Greensboro, who owns the Columbia Hotel building on Main street, asked permission to put in a glass front and otherwise improve the building. This the town fathers refused to allow him to do unless he would move the building back flush with the other buildings on the street.

—Salisbury, Oct. 11: The Asheville election has been much talked here this week and there is no doubt that it has spread some consternation. The prohibitionists do not appear to be anxious to call an election for that purpose and the believers in high license are not anxious for such a call There is a well founded belief here that the Legislature will do what popular suffrage has not yet done. Then there is a gaining belief that were an election called here the prohibitionists would win. That is doubtful. Anyway, the situation is growing alarming enough on all sides to cause the whiskey men to think.

—The 305th student at Davidson College is a full-blooded Indian from Oklahoma, who has taken to himself the name of Sam P. Jones, doubtless because of admiration for the great Georgia preacher. Mr. Jones is a young man of great intelligence and keen ambition, and having heard of Davidson from one of the college's alumni who went west to preach, he determined to go there to get his education. The reason for his being late in arriving is because he remained in Oklahoma until the election for state officers, which resulted in the sweeping Democratic success. Mr. Jones is solidly built—the boys say he seemed to have been created for a center rush, and the football manager has his weather eye on the big civilized son of the forest.

—Mount Airy, N. C., Oct. 11: News has just reached this city of a desperate shooting scrape near Ward's Gap, Va., several miles from Mount Airy, in which two men were probably fatally wounded. The men are brothers-in-law, Sydney Tow and Orville McMillan. They quarreled Sunday morning over family affairs, McMillan accusing Tow of abusing his wife. In the afternoon the men met again, Tow in the meantime having borrowed a shot gun. He was observed by McMillan as he approached and McMillan secured his own gun and both men began firing. McMillan was shot in the stomach and lower limbs, while Town's wounds are in the shoulders and neck. Both men are dangerously wounded and both may die of their wounds.

—Raleigh News and Observer Oct. 11: It will be quite a surprise to their friends to learn that Miss Maud Sauls, of Laurinburg, and Mr. N. Archer Brown, of this city, were married on September 25th. Miss Sauls came to Raleigh ostensibly to visit friends for a day or two and while she was here she was married to Mr. Brown, the ceremony being performed by Justice of the Peace H. H. Roberts, in the presence of Colonel J. C. L. Harris, Mr. Haywood Bell and Mr. J. R. Coppedge. Mrs. Brown went back to Laurinburg to spend a few weeks with her parents, the intention being to keep the marriage a secret for awhile. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cephas Sauls, of Laurinburg, and an attractive young lady of 18 years. Mr. Brown is the son of Mr. J. W. Brown, of this city, and is a popular young business man. This announcement will probably be the first knowledge their parents and friends will have of the marriage.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$2,100,519 60
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00
Bank Building	25,000 00
Cash	942,318 21
	$3,417,837 81

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 500,000 00
Surplus and Net Profits	239,195 69
Circulation	300,000 00
Deposits	2,278,642 12
U. S. Bond Account	100,000 00
	$3,417,837 81

DEPOSITS

October 1st, 1905, $1,763,509 62
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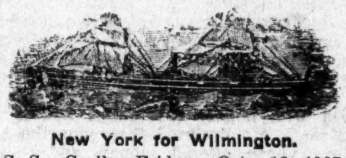

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S. S. Navahoe, Friday, Oct. 25, 1907.

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At The Theatre.

In "Peggy from Paris," the musical comedy which is coming to the Academy tomorrow night, George Ade, the author, has introduced a wide variety of characters, all of whom contribute to the fun and gaiety and share in the appealing melodies. From all these persons of varied and divers conditions it will be apparent that there are ample opportunities for wit and fun and gaiety.

Ade's humor has displayed itself not alone in the lines and speeches and situations, but in the types of persons he cleverly caricatures. This feature of the musical comedy adds decidedly to its interest. It is said that a really clever story is told in the play, and that even without the musical accessories it would stand as an interesting comedy. When to so much worth is added the embellishment of bright and spirited melodies, fascinating choruses and captivating dances, there is little left to be desired. Miss Helen Byron who played here last season in "Sergeant Kitty," and who is so pleasantly remembered by Wilmington theatre-goers will be here in "Peggy From Paris" this season. Of the production in Lynchburg Tuesday night the News, of that city, says:

"Helen Byron, who had already established herself as an artist in "Sergeant Kitty," paid her annual visit to the Academy last night in the stellar role of George Ade's musical comedy, "Peggy from Paris." The leap was not far, for Miss Byron and the transformation seemed to please her audience last night to the point of a most hearty reception. Her voice is sweet and tuneful, lacking only a trifle in power and expression, which is more than overcome by her graceful dancing. She makes all that is possible of the role of "Peggy Plummer," and her best song number, "In Cupidland" was heartily encored.

"While the comedy is slightly shopworn, it carries the trade-mark of Ade's wit and satire, besides a liberal sprinkling of melody and mirth and some whistleable airs that pulls airy "Peggy" out of the swamp of failure.

"The company is an improvement over the one which appeared here last season, more especially the chorus.

"C. C. Blanchard, at the head of the whole "Damm" family of Plummers, handled the leading comedy lines most satisfactorily. He was ably assisted by Eddie Gorman, as "Reginald Hickey." And just as pleasing were Lily Davenn, as the home grown article, and Florence Ebner as "Sophie Blotz."

"The Holy City."

The following from the Lynchburg, Va., News will be of interest here, where "The Holy City" will be the attraction soon:

"'The Holy City,' a Biblical play, was presented at the Academy last night, and held the closest attention of a small audience, from the first curtain. The play deserved a crowded house, as it was, without fear of contradiction, the best show of its kind ever presented at the Academy. The possibilities of 'The Holy City' are great, and from a dramatic standpoint few attractions approach it.

"The story is of John the Baptist, and deals with the thrilling incidents of his persecution, the persecution and crucifixion of the Savious, and the ascension. The Testament history is closely followed, and the scenes were made by aid of the most beautiful scenery very real and life-like.

"The company with a few exceptions in the less important characters, was very good. Some of the roles were capably portrayed.

"Marius, a young Roman, was excellent in the hands of Clay Clement, Jr., Miss Pauline Horice acted the role of Salome well. In the scene when she commits suicide, she was especially strong in her acting. John E. Dvorak, as Judas Iscariot; L. D. Kirk, as Pontius Pilate; Adeline Ramsey, as Mary Magdalene, were capable in every way.

"There was nothing objectionable brought out in producing the play, and neither was it sacreligious. Should the play ever return to the city there is no doubt that a large audience will be present.

Parsifal.

The Charlotte Observer of the past week has the following to say of an attraction which is one of the early offerings at the Academy of Music:

"'Parsifal,' the sacred festival play pleased the all-too-small audience at the Academy of Music last night. Because of the time necessary to present it in all its essentials, the curtain was raised at 7:45 o'clock instead of 8:30, as heretofore.

"Those who witnessed the play last evening and those who saw it when here last season will recall the thread of the story which is one of absorbing interest. Amfortas, Prince of Capadocia and chief warden of the Holy Grail, has been foresworn and has lost the sacred spear, the emblem of his high office, by reason of the wiles of the black knight, Klingsor, who is acting through Kundry, "the fairest of all fair women." Klingsor is about to assail the very castle in which the Grail reposed, when Parsifal, the shepherd boy, comes upon the scene. He learns of Amfortas' plight and sets out to rescue the spear and break the power of the evil one. The manner in which he is tempted and his final victory form the climax of the play. The spear recovered, Parsifal returns, to be crowned king warder in turn of the Holy Grail.

"The parts taken by Mr. Cotton as 'Amfortas,' Mr. Kelvin, as 'Klingsor,' and Mr. Wilcox as 'Gregory,' the priestly chaplain of the Grail, were most excellent, as was that also of 'Kundry,' by Miss Norris. Mr. Connor, 'as 'Parsifal,' was great, his work being excellent throughout and altogether consistent. The young ladies representing the blooms in the magic garden of Klingsor were as beautiful as ever seen on the local stage. The costumes were new and attractive. The scenery was good.

"All in all, 'Parsifal' was played much better than one might have expected who is familiar with the story. It deserved a larger house."

Buffalo Bill's Wild West.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West will be here Thursday, with all its magnitude of rough riders from all parts of the world—American Indian warriors, Mexican caqueros, German curiasseurs, English lancers, Japanese horsemen, cowboys, ranch riding girls, Arabian nomads, Russian Cossacks, and all of the other startling features that Colonel William F. Cody has gathered together during his five years' tour of Great Britain and Continental Europe.

Fidelity to historic fact has ever been the well-substantiated claim of Col. Cody in the productions incident to his exhibition. He has been a practical illustrator of American history for the twenty-five years he has, as an entertainer, been before the public. For his home-coming tour, after four years in Europe, he has selected The Battle of Summit Springs as the chief scenic feature of his exhibition. This battle was one of the deciding conflicts in reclaiming the West from Indian control. It was on July 11, 1869, that Gen. E. A. Carr, in command of a detachment of United States cavalry, and guided by Buffalo Bill as his chief of scouts, came suddenly upon the camp of Tall Bull, chief of the "Dog Soldiers," and engaged them in one of the fiercest struggles in the annals of Indian warfare. The conflict was sharp and relentless, but when Buffalo Bill shot and killed Tall Bull the tide quickly turned and the Indians suffered utter defeat. In the Wild West reproduction of the Battle of Summit Springs, Buffalo Bill will enact his original role, and the death of Tall Bull will be shown with vivid realism. Previous to the actual battle the customs and camp life of the Indian will be shown in the erection of a typical Indian village, and the details of Indian recreation, sports and pastimes will be detailed with fidelity to life on the plains when the red-skin was monarch of that vast domain. Other typical Western scenes will be made a part of the Wild West exhibition. There will be "The Great Train Hold-Up," showing the robbery of an express car and the "hold-up" of the passengers; "A Holiday at T-E Ranch," in which the plainsman's pleasures will be revived, and "The Attack on An Emigrant Train," depicting the dangers attendant upon the life of the pioneer. The Congress of Rough Riders will also constitute an important part of the Wild West entertainment, horsemen from all parts of the globe having been assembled for the purpose of giving exhibitions of their proficiency as masters of equestrian expertness and reckless daring. The entertainment entire will constitute a thrilling display of unusually interesting and novel exhibitions.

Mr. Schloss in Danville.

Mr. S. A. Schloss, of this city, has just completed a fine theatre in Danville, Va., and the opening was Tuesday night of the past week. The Danville papers of the past week contain lengthy accounts of the opening of the new playhouse there and speak in the highest terms of Mr. Schloss and the debt of gratitude which is due him by the theatregoers of that city. It is rumored that Mr. Schloss has in contemplation the building of a new theatre in this city upon the expiration of the present lease with Messrs. Cowan Brothers for the Academy of Music now in use.

A PECULIAR FISH.

The Turbot's Ball and Socket Eye of Black and Gold.

Lying limp and slimy on a fishmonger's slab, or dry and sandy in the fishwives' baskets, the turbot is, perhaps, the least interesting of fish. When swimming in an artificial sea or lying on the sandy bottom it is the most attractive of all of the denizens of this mock ocean and whether at rest or in motion has an air of vigilance, vivacity and intelligence greater than that of any of the normally shaped fish. This is in part due to its habits and in part to the expression of the flat fish's eye. This, which is sunk and invisible in the dead fish, is raised on a kind of turret in the living turbot, or sole, and set there in a half revolving apparatus, working almost as independently as the "ball and socket" eyes of the chameleon. There is this difference, however, in the eye of the lizard and of the fish—the iris of the chameleon is a mere pinhole at the top of the eyeball, which is thus absolutely without expression. The turbot's, or "butt's," eyes are black and gold and intensely bright, with none of the fixed, staring stupid appearance of ordinary fishes' eyes. It lies upon the sand and jerks its eyes independently into position to survey any part of the ground surface, the water above, or that on either side at any angle.

If it had light rays to project from its eyes instead of to receive, the effect would be precisely that made by the sudden shifting of the jointed apparatus which casts the electric light from a warship at any angle on to sea, sky or horizon. The turbots, though ready, graceful swimmers, moving in wavelike undulations across the water or dashing off like a flash when so disposed, usually lie perfectly still upon the bottom. They do not, like the dabs and the flounders, cover themselves with sand, for they mimic the color of the ground with such absolute fidelity that except for the shining eye it is almost impossible to distinguish them. It would appear that volition plays some part in this subtle conformity to environment, for one turbot, which is blind, has changed to a tint too light and not at all in harmony with that of the sand.—London Spectator.

ON BOARD THE FLIER

By Marion Benton

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"We'll take those three seats. I suppose it's the best you can do. Lawrence, you sit there. No, no—on this side. There's a draft on that side."

"But I want to see the river," said the elderly man querulously and with a gesture akin to throwing aside a detaining hand, though his florid and overdressed wife had not laid so much as a finger tip on his arm.

"I tell you there's a draft on that side," she said sharply.

"Well, you don't want to sit in a draft either," persisted her husband.

"No; Emily can sit there. She is young. Drafts won't hurt her."

David Marston raised his paper suddenly to hide the smile that would come. He was sitting on the drafty side, too, right behind the chair in the parlor car which had raised the discussion. He, too, wanted to see the Hudson, the Palisades and other points of interest of which he had read and which he was enjoying for the first time.

"Where is Emily?" asked the husband, now settled unwillingly in the chair selected for him.

"She's making sure that there's a nice man in the baggage car to look after the dogs. She'll be along in a minute."

By this time David Marston was not the only passenger interested in the domestic drama. Every man and woman in the car had laid aside paper or book, roused to attention by the piercing tones and dominating bearing of the woman. The shrill speech might have been forgiven on the plea that the husband was evidently very deaf. The manner was less forgivable. Newly acquired riches were stamped all over the tightly laced, middle aged figure. The characterless face, due to much electric massaging, spoke of hours spent with beauty experts. Her frock, wrap and hat shrieked, "Paris!"

Evidently the couple were going back to New York after a brief stay at their lodge in the Catskills, for the limited had stopped at the small town close to fashionable mountain fastnesses on special orders.

"You don't think anything will happen to Emily trying to cross the platforms?" asked the man anxiously.

"It's a vestibuled train!" shrieked his wife. "I told her to stay until all three of the dogs had been properly chained. You remember the time we came— Oh, there she is!"

There was much craning of necks as the third member of this interesting party came through the narrow passageway around the drawing room. Her advent promised further entertainment to travel bored passengers. Only one of the latter did not crane his neck. He simply sat staring at the girl, his hands gripped hard on the arms of the chair.

She was a slender, refined looking girl, dressed in black from her dull calfskin ties to her stiffly tailored traveling hat. At her throat and wrists were fine linen bands. Marston recalled with a shudder that a maid who had opened the door for him at a fashionable Denver home had worn just such a black frock with white bands.

The girl carried a bundle of canes, umbrellas and golf sticks. As she tilted them in the corner beside the elderly man she said something to him which he seemed to hear, though she did not follow his wife's example and raise her voice. He settled back with a contented air.

"There's your chair, Emily," said the woman, waving her hand across the aisle. The girl turned, stepped across the aisle, looked at Marston, caught her breath sharply and sank into her chair, which she wheeled so that her back was turned squarely upon him.

By this time David had recovered thought and speech. He rose, deliberately walked in front of the girl and extended his hand.

"Don't tell me that a mere trifle like a beard makes me unrecognizable, Emily. I should have known you even if you had dyed your hair."

The girl's hand lay limply in his, then she pulled herself together and withdrew it.

"Oh, I knew you at once. But th shock"—

"Precisely. It was a shock to me—to find you with them."

The gesture was slight, but Emily Hunt knew what he meant, and her cheeks crimsoned.

"I can explain"—

"Let me turn your chair around so we can talk," Marston suggested, and a moment later they sat side by side, facing the river bank, their backs to Miss Emily's employer, who sniffed in baffled curiosity and gazed their way through a jeweled lorgnon.

"Oh, the story is short enough," said Emily bitterly. "Selling daubs and teaching youngsters in a Colorado town and making good with your brush in New York city are entirely different propositions. I saw it was starvation or real work and so"—

"Being companion to a woman of her caliber is real work, eh?"

"She is really very kind at heart, and Mr. Maguire is just lovely to me."

At this juncture Mr. Maguire was shaken with a violent coughing spell.

"Emily," exclaimed Mrs. Maguire sharply, "where's the cough medicine?"

But Emily Hunt was already digging into her employer's bag.

Deftly she poured the medicine and turned to bring a glass of water. Marston was at her heels, his own drinking cup filled to the brim.

"Thanks. Mr. Maguire took such a dreadful cold while we were at Groton lodge."

The invalid was recovering from the paroxysm and there was nothing for Emily to do but introduce David to her employers.

Mr. Maguire extended a trembling hand. Mrs. Maguire raised her lorgnon.

"From Chicago? In pork, I suppose?"

David's eyes twinkled even as Emily Hunt's cheeks colored.

"No, not exactly—in the law for pork men."

Emily bit her lips and, returning to her chair, stared hard at the flying scenery.

"Forgive me, Emily, but I simply had to do it. She is impossible."

"But you are in the law"—

"And for men in pork. I am going to Europe on my first big commission."

"I am so glad you have found success," said Emily in a calm voice, though her heart beat suffocatingly. She might have helped him to find it, but now he was going to Europe for a mighty corporation, and she was a companion, the most despised and inadequately paid personage in the Maguire retinue.

"Emily, ring for the porter and order clam broth for us all from the buffet car."

"I don't care for any, if you will excuse me, Mrs. Maguire. I'll order for two."

"Nonsense!" said the domineering Mrs. Maguire. "A cup of hot broth will do you good. You're looking a bit white this afternoon, and we can't afford to have you sick on our hands now, with Maguire on the edge of pneumonia."

The piercing tones ran the length of the car, and there was smothered laughter up and down the lines. With crimson cheeks, Emily touched the button, but when the waiter arrived it was Marston who took the matter in hand and ordered a dainty luncheon.

Mrs. Maguire admitted that for a man "in pork" he knew how to order. It annoyed her that she could not communicate this discovery to her husband. Later she said something of the sort to Emily, who had brought Mr. Maguire an evening paper picked up at Poughkeepsie.

Emily did not seem to hear the patronizing remark of her employer. Her mind had leaped forward to that moment when the train should pull into the Grand Central depot. Then she and the Maguires would enter the carriage held in waiting by liveried servants, and Marston would go his self made independent way. When she returned to her chair, the dull foggy dusk was settling down on the river. Pretty soon on the broad six track way trains loaded with suburbanites would be shooting past them, suburbanites going home to cottages and firesides all their own, where women who had never dreamed of artistic careers waited for them.

The porter received Mrs. Maguire's curt comment on poor gas with abject apologies.

"Suthin's sure wrong, but we can't locate the trouble, but we'll soon be in town," he said and hurried on. He knew the Maguire type.

Emily started. Marston's hand was on her arm, not gently or as a reminder that he deserved her attention, but in a masterly, determined clasp.

"Emily, do you think for one minute I am going abroad and leave you with that—that sort of woman? I've got to sail in the morning. There is not much time, but you can get frills and frocks in Paris, and when we come home, if visiting art centers abroad has roused your ambitions once more, I'll have you study with the best"—

"I don't want to study; I have no ambitions; I just want"—

Marston bent very close to catch the last word—"you."

"Emily, get a rug for Mr. Maguire," exclaimed Mrs. Maguire so sharply that the dozing passengers all woke up. Then as the girl leaned over to pick up the fallen rug Mrs. Maguire whispered harshly:

"I guess you forget where you are!"

"No," replied Emily happily. "I've only just found out where I belong. Mr. Marston and I are going to be married tonight and sail for London in the morning."

Mrs. Maguire gave vent to an exclamation that roused her husband to frightened wonder and made several men in the farther end of the car laugh aloud.

The little bride in chair 11 leaned over and touched her husband's hand.

"Billy, dear, I believe there's a little story going on right under our noses."

Her husband patted her hand tenderly under cover of the friendly dusk.

"Wouldn't be surprised, sweetheart, and all I've got to say is I hope that the young man is the sort who will not consign 'Emily' to a drafty seat."

"I hope he is just as dear and good as you are."

And down in the front of the car Marston and Emily Hunt sat gazing out into the night, too happy for words.

CURE OF INSOMNIA.

The soporific powers of warm milk are well known, but care should be taken that the milk does not quite boil.

A Swedish method of producing sleep is to wring out a handkerchief in icy cold water and lay it across the eyes, when it is said to act like magic.

To many constitutions a warm bath taken immediately before going to bed is very soothing and produces drowsiness, while an apple eaten as the last thing is equally effective.

The homely boiled onion is another sovereign remedy, or an onion may be sliced and eaten raw, the disagreeable taste being removed by taking a little sugar or a pinch of tea afterward.

A Hindoo practice to induce sleep is to take deep inhalations, expelling the air alternately through each nostril, keeping the other closed with the finger. This has a wonderfully quieting effect.

A COAT OF ARMS.

How One May Be Acquired For a Consideration In England.

The practice of granting arms is still in vogue in England, Ireland, Scotland, Austria, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Germany, etc., and at times the pope, as sovereign pontiff, exercises the power.

Indeed, it is by patent or grant alone that a new family can legitimately acquire a coat of arms.

The modus operandi in England, for example, is as follows: The applicant for a patent of arms (from the crown) may employ any member he pleases of the heralds' college and through him present a memorial to the earl marshal of England, who acts for the crown in these matters, setting forth that he, the memorialist, is not entitled to arms or cannot prove his right to such and praying that his grace the earl marshal will issue his warrant to the kings of arms, authorizing them to grant and confirm to him due and proper armorial ensigns, to be borne according to the laws of heraldry by him and his descendants. This memorial is presented and a warrant is issued by the earl marshal, under which a patent of arms is made out, exhibiting a painting of the armorial ensigns granted, the royal arms of England, the arms of the earl marshal and those of the college and describing in official terms the proceedings that have taken place and a correct blazon of the arms. This patent is registered in the books of the heralds' college and receives the signatures of the garter and one or both of the provincial kings of arms.

A grant or patent of arms is made to a man and his male descendants. This gives him a fee simple of them—that is to say, to him and to his male descendants equally and altogether and to his female descendants in a qualified manner—i. e., for life, to bear the arms in a lozenge or impaled with their husbands' arms (if the husbands have arms), as arms can only be brought in by arms, or, if they be heiresses or cohelresses, on an escutcheon of pretense upon their husbands' shields, and in the last case their descendants inherit such maternal arms, but only as a quartering.—Nineteenth Century.

The Evidence Was All In.

A juryman went to sleep during the closing speech of one of the counsel in the case in an English court. The judge had him awakened and sternly rebuked him. "My lord," said the juror, "I was under the impression that I was sworn to give a verdict according to the evidence, not according to the speeches."

Three Kinds.

There are three kinds of good—the kind that feels good, the kind that looks good and the kind that opposes evil. And the first two are good for nothing.

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Young Mechanic's Terrible Experience While at Work in Saw Mill Leaves Him a Nervous Wreck With Snow White Hair.—Story.

Shreveport, La., Oct. 5.—Arthur McDonald, a boiler maker, aged twenty four, will leave the hospital at Pine Bluff, Ark, a nervous wreck. His hair, which at one time was coal black, now hangs over his forehead a soft, glistening white. He will never again be able to return to his calling, and, in fact, will not be able to do work of any kind for several years. He leaves, accompanied by his brother, for Colorado, where he hopes, in a measure to rebuild his shattered nervous system.

When seen at the hospital McDonald told the remarkable story of the circumstances which brought about his present condition.

"I am twenty-four years of age," he began, "and for the last three years have been employed as a boiler maker, principally in railroad shops. I learned my trade when quite young, and although fully aware of the dangers of a boiler maker's life I never once dreamed of the awful experience I would go through, or I should never have attempted to drive a rivet.

"The experience to which I refer occurred three months ago at a little saw mill below Hope, Ark. A new set of boilers had been put in, and negro firemen were relied upon to attend them. They soon got out of order, and the foreman sent all the way to Pine Bluff to get a boiler maker. There were none available then except those in the railway shops there. As a pretty good sum was offered I laid off from my regular work and decided to make a few extra dollars. This try came near being the end of me.

"When I reached the saw mill I found the boilers in a bad fix. The flues were choked and needed reaming badly. In addition they were caked on the inside, and as there was not enough help present I decided to go into the boiler myself and chisel off some of the cake matter while the negroes were reaming out the flues.

"This worked all right on the first boiler, and I soon had it in good shape. I then went to the second boiler and told the negroes as soon as they had finished reaming out the second boiler to replace the turnhole on the first, fill it with water and fire up for a test.

"I went down on the inside and found the second boiler's flues in an especially bad condition. I must have worked for an hour, and so intent was I that I did not notice the noise of the reaming cease until I was nearly through. My first intimation that anything was wrong came when the candle began to burn dim and the boiler seemed full of the candle gas and smoke. I turned around to see what was the matter and, to my horror, saw that the manhole cover had been replaced.

"I crawled along the flues as fast as I could until I reached the spot and attempted to push it up, but I was too late—the negroes had it screwed down firmly. I struck the side of the boiler with my hammer and called several times. The sound was almost deafening to me, but I am sure it was hardly heard on the outside. It then flashed over me that the negroes had misunderstood me and were preparing to make a fire under the second boiler instead of the first.

"The horror of my situation caused me to feel sick for a moment, but I realized that if there was anything to be done, it must be done at once, so I crawled along the rust-covered flues to the end of the boiler. In doing this I accidentally knocked over my candle and put it out. With a cry of anguish I reached for it, but it had fallen down among the flues and was out of my reach for good.

"Following close upon this I heard the rush of water through the injector, and knew the negroes were filling the boiler. Now was the time to act, I thought, if I intended to get out alive, but my candle was gone, and never before have I seen such darkness as filled that boiler.

I had not calculated correctly on the time, for the water had been coming in several minutes before I noticed it. I could feel it creeping up among the flues. For a moment I stopped anr prayed earnestly for deliverance from the awful fate that now confronted me.

"After an agony of suspense I heard the water shut off with a gurgle that to me sounded like the voice of some demon bent upon devouring me. I attempted to jump up, but struck my head a severe blow upon the top of the boiler and cut a gash in my scalp, but I hardly felt it, so alarmed was I at the thought of the next step the negroes would take. The fire!

"Had I been fortunate enough to have possessed a revolver or even a pocket knife I would have ended it all there, but I was unable to do a thing except yell and beat the sides of the boiler with all my might and main. I was forced to sit and know that under me the negroes were building the fire that would slowly roast me to death.

"I cannot describe my feelings or agony during the following moments. I imagined I could feel the heat under me already. The atmosphere was suffocating, and cold beads of perspiration stood out upon my forehead and trickled down my spine. To me every minute was an hour.

"It was through sheer exhaustion that I ceased beating and panting and leaned back against the side of my iron tomb. I was not long spared this rest, for I could now distinctly feel the air growing warmer. The flues upon which I was seated were above water, and as I reached down and touched one I started with a gasp It was warm—ever so slightly, but warm, nevertheless. Again I began pounding and calling frantically, until my lungs felt as if they were lacerated.

"The close atmosphere and heat had started a raging headache, and my temples throbbed as if they would burst. I had torn my hands until the were bleeding freely, and my eyes seemed to bulge in their sockets. The thing that stood out grim and gaunt before me was the fire in the furnace that would slowly roast me to death.

"I thought of my mother, of home and of thousands of things it seemed to me. The flues were now becoming warmer. I could feel their heat through my clothing, and once more I pounded and yelled. Back and forth, like a hyena, I crawled, panting, praying and moaning. The flues were now so hot they burned my bare hands, and my head swam from the heat.

"In a moment of desperation I seized my hammer and dealt myself a severe blow upon the head to try to stun myself in order that the last pangs might not be so terrible. The blow only burst the skin and caused me additional pain. Hotter and hotter grew the flues, until I felt that I could not longer stand the agony. Strange and weird figures appeared before my vision.

"At last, more dead than alive, with every nerve racking with agony, I threw myself down upon the burning pipes to hasten the end. My teeth ground together like a vise as the heated iron burned my flesh. I could not have remained there more than three seconds, though to me it seemed a lifetime, before I heard as plain as I ever did during his life, the voice of a brother who died years ago. Somehow the voice sounded perfectly natural. I recognized it in an instant and felt not the slightest surprise. It said quickly: 'Cut the flue, Arthur.'

"In an instant I was on hands and knees. The last ray of hope had dawned before me, now, I knew, a dying man, and with more strength than I ever before commanded or ever shall again, I placed the point of my chisel on a flue just under the water and dealt it a terrific blow. I missed and struck my little finger.." He held up the stump. "I pledged my word that I did not feel the pain. The second blow fell true and the third and fourth and with the fifth I felt the chisel give. I caught sight of a fiery fork of flame in the flue, and the next instant heard the water hissing and popping as it rushed through the leak into the furnace below.

"The negroes heard the water when it struck the fire, and knew there was a leak somewhere. They, of course, opened the water plug and raked out the fire.

"Realizing that I was fast losing consciousness. I dragged myself under the manhole that I might be found as soon as the boiler was opened. I have a faint recollection of seeing a round patch of dalight, darkened by the head of a negro, and for the following five days I knew nothing

"I have been in the hospital here for the last three months, and am afraid I am about all in for good. However, the doctors say the mountains and rest will do wonders for me. so I am going to try it out in Colorado for a while."

"If you had your health and strength back again would you return to your old occupation?" was asked. The white head rested for a moment upon a wasted hand and then the speaker replied

"Yes, I think I would, I like it, somehow; but there is one thing certain, I would never again enter a boiler without first seeing that the manhole cover was locked up safely in some closet and I had the key in my inside coat pocket."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

No man is as dangerous as his threats.

When some men have nothing to do they become reformers.

If a man asks a candid opinion from a friend and gets it, it makes him mad.

Some people invariably get the worst of it, because they are always demanding the best of it.

As soon as a man gets a notion that his employer can't get along without him he is getting ready to lose his job.

There is always the danger that every man will become the hired man and every mother the hired girl to their family.

When a young man begins to make regular visits to a girl, how it would knock out the romance if it were said that he was calling on her to make arrangements for hiring a cook.—Atchison Globe.

Where Kit Marlowe Was Buried.

St. Nicholas, Deptford, possesses richer literary, artistic and naval associations than most churches of the river side. It was the parish church of John Evelyn and his tenant, Peter the Great, who delighted to make the parson drunk, as well as of a long line of naval heroes. One of the many historic monuments quaintly commemorates Peter Pett, "the Noah of his age," who invented the frigate. A weird wood carving, representing the prophet Ezekiel in the valley of dry bones, is by Grinling Gibbons, who was "discovered" here by Evelyn. The parish register records the burial of Christopher Marlowe, "slaine by ffrancis Archer" on June 1, 1693.—Westminster Gazette.

Oddly Shaped Spiders.

The most peculiar spiders in the world, as well as the largest ones, inhabit the island of Sumatra. They are of all conceivable forms and colors, and some of them spin threads almost as large and strong as the grocer's twine. Some queerly shaped spiders have square bodies poised on long red legs, and others have crooked green and yellow legs which support heart shaped bodies. One of the very oddest of the lot has a body that looks like that of a young turtle, the "sheil" having round knobs and pear shaped projections all over it.

—Mrs. De Vere—Oh! my dear Mr. Paynter, my hair is auburn, and not nearly raven black, as you have it in your picture. Mr. Paynter—H'm! Then one of us will have to make an altercation. Shall it be you or I?

WITNESSES TO ALIBIS.

Shady Trade Which Once Flourished In New York's Courts.

The elder Weller in "Pickwick" was, as all admirers of the works of Dickens will know, a great believer in the utility of an alibi as a defense in both criminal and civil actions.

"Never mind the character," said Mr. Weller to his son. "Stick to the alleybi. Nothing like an alleybi, Sammy; nothing. Verever he's agoin' to be tried, me boy, a alleybi's the thing to get him off."

This sage advice of Mr. Weller found frequent corroboration in the views of criminal lawyers in town up to a very few years ago. There were half a century ago more criminal lawyers than there are today, and the emoluments and fees of criminal lawyers were materially larger in the ordinary run of cases than now. As a consequence, cases were more often defended than they are now and pleas of guilty much more rarer. Then the alibi witness was a necessary though usually unwelcome part of the machinery of defense in criminal cases. There is in criminal procedure no better defense than an alibi if sustained. Alibi witnesses were therefore very much in demand until juries began to mistrust them and the penalties for the crime of perjury were visited upon some of the delinquents.

For a long time the mendacious and subsidized testimony of professional alibi witnesses obtained credence from jurors, and some of these witnesses, to quote their own language, "made a good thing out of it." Juries in criminal cases are usually sympathetic where no outside pressure is brought upon them, and it is the part of the charge of every judge in a criminal case to inform the jury that the prisoner at the bar is entitled to every reasonable doubt. If, therefore, any uncertainty existed on the point whether or not the prisoner was actually present at the time and place of the alleged crime he was entitled to the benefit of it, but little by little the prosecuting officers became acquainted with the identity and records of the professional alibi witnesses. One or two were prosecuted. Others were scared off. The commercial value of the services of the others was decreased, and finally the whole nefarious business was abandoned, never since to be revived.

Monument to a Fish.

A "tombstone" which is to be seen in the garden of Fish cottage, Blockley, a picturesque village in South Worcestershire, is believed to be the only fish's tombstone in existence. The inscription is as follows:

In Memory of the Old Fish.
Under the soil the old Fish, do, lie.
Twenty years, he, lived and then, did, die.
He was so tame you, understand
He would, come, and eat, out, of, our, hand.
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—London Graphic.

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Given under our hands and seals this the —— day of September, A. D. 1907.

A. SELLERS. (Seal)

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At Owosso, Mich., yesterday an endorsement of Speaker Joseph G. Cannon for the Republican nomination for President was adopted at the Republican convention of the Eighth Congressional district after an animated debate.

The Attorney General at Washington yesterday decided that foreign ships carrying for naval use from one American port to another are not subject to any port charges or light house dues.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady 50 1-2 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.85 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Quiet $2.30.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.75 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm 65 1-4c; rosin, firm $3.65; tar, firm $2.20; crude turpentine, $3.25, $4.50; $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	15
Rosin	46
Tar	141
Crude Turpentine	54

Receipts—Same day last year, 54 casks spirits turpentine; 149 barrels rosin; 53 barrels tar; 132 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11 3-16 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Firm 10 3-4 cents for middling.

Receipts—5,159 bales; same day last year, 4,157 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.40; extra prime, $1.50; fancy, $1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1, $1.15; fancy, $1.20@$1.25; Spanish, $1.50@$1.60.

CORN—Firm, 80@82 1-2 per bushel for white; 78@80 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, 18c per pound; shoulders 13@14c; sides, dull, 13@14.

EGGS—Firm, 25c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm at 15@30c for small; growns, dull 35c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27 to 28.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Out of season.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 12.—The uneasy feeling which has been gathering in the stock market during the week eventuated in a sharp spasm of liquidation today, which gave a demoralized tone to the trading. The publication of an alleged order issued by E. H. Harriman for the cutting down of expenses in all departments of the railroad systems under his control, owing to the stringency of the money market, was the sole factor. Mr. Harriman's denial of having issued this order and his assertion that sustained pressure of traffic on railroad lines concerned would preclude the cutting down of operation forces had but moderate influence in correcting the demoralized tone of the market. The favorable bank statement had but slight effect in the same direction and the closing tone was much unsettled and irregular and at material declines from last night's figures and at low prices for the year in many instances. Stocks were tumbled on the market indiscriminately in the condition of alarm existing and the lack of any bids in the market in some instances necessitated heavy sacrifices and violent declines.

Rates for time loans and mercantile paper about 6 per cent. and with premiums in many cases, which add substantially to the rate, the stringency of th money market continues a factor not to be evaded.

Bonds were weak. Total sales, par value, $1,242,000. United States registered 2's have declined 1-2; the coupons, 1-4, and the 4's 1 1-4 per cent. on call during the week.

Total sales of stocks today 625,200 shares.

THE COTTON MARKET

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 2.—The cotton market opened barely steady at a decline of 2 to 8 points, and sold off to a net loss of 10 to 4 points during the early session under liquidation and bear pressure attracted by the lower cables and reports of an easier spot situation in the South. The weather map showed rather low temperatures in the South, however, and the market steadied up 4 or 5 points during the middle of the morning on realizing by recent sellers, who preferred existing profits to carrying their commitments over Sunday in the face of threatened frost. The cotton market closed steady, with prices net 1 to 7 points lower.

Receipts at the ports today 37,881 bales against 31,984 last week and 58,742 last year. For the week 290,000 bales against 239,772 last week and 370,477 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 5,579 bales against 6,829.

Spot cotton closed quiet 6 points lower, middling uplands 11.70; middling gulf 11.95; sales 28.30.

Futures opened barely steady and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
October	10.70	10.75
November	10.65	10.75
December	10.95	10.93
January	10.85	10.83
February	10.85	10.86
March	10.88	10.88
April	10.80	10.90
May	10.90	10.92
June	10.92	10.93
July	10.93	10.95
August	10.78	10.78

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 12.—FLOUR—Firm; Minnesota patents, 5.65@6.10; Winter patents, 4.95@5.55.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Quiet at 3.00 per 100 pounds.

CORN MEAL—Firm.

WHEAT—Spot, firm; No. 2 red, 1.12 elevator. Options, 1-4 to 5-8c higher; December, 1.16 3-4; May, 1.17 3-8.

CORN—Spot, firm; No. 2, 75 1-2 elevator. Options closed 5-8 to 3-4 higher; December, 70 5-8.

OATS—Spot, firm; mixed, 55 1-2.

LARD—Firm; Western prime, 9.40 @9.50; refined, steady.

PORK—Steady; family, 18.50@19.00; short clear, 16.75@17.75.

TALLOW—Quiet.

RICE—Firm; domestic, fair to extra, 3 1-8@6 3-4.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 37@48.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.45; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.95; molasses, 3.10; refined, steady; No. 6, 4.60; No. 7, 4.55; No. 8, 4.50; No. 9, 4.45; No. 10, 4.35; No. 11, 4.30; No. 12, 4.25; No. 13, 4.20; No. 14, 4.15; confectioners A, 4.90; mould A, 5.35; cut loaf, 5.70; crushed, 5.70; powdered, 5.10; granulated, 5.00; cubes, 5.25.

COFFEE—Spot, quiet; Rio No. 7, 6 1-2; Santos No. 4, 8 1-2; mild, quiet; Cordova, 9@12 1-4. Futures closed dull, 5 points higher.

BUTTER—Weak; creamery specials, 30; extras, 29 1-2.

CHEESE—Strong, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged.

FREIGHTS—Quiet, unchanged.

POTATOES — Easy; Southern sweets, per barrel, 1.75@2.00.

CABBAGES—Steady, unchanged.

COTTONSEED OIL—Fairly active with prices easy under bear pressure. Prime crude, 34; prime Summer yellow, 51; off Summer yellow, 42@49; good off Summer yellow, 43@49; prime white, 56@58; prime Winter yellow, 56@58.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	105 1-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	105 1-4
U. S. 3s reg	101 3-4
U. S. 3s cou	102 1-2
U. S. new 4s reg	123
U. S. new 4s cou	123
American Tobacco Co. 4s	62
American Tobacco 6s	95 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	88
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	97 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	65
Southern Railway 5s	99 7-8
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	92 3-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	53 1-4
American Car & Foundry	28 1-2
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	88
American Cotton Oil	29
American Cotton Oil pfd	82
American Locomotive	44 3-4
American Locomotive pfd	90
American Smelting & Ref	75 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	91 5-8
American Sugar Refining	104
American Tobacco pfd cert	73 1-2
Atchison	81
Atchison pfd	80
Atlantic Coast Line	70 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	84 5-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	80
Chesapeake & Ohio	29 1-4
Kansas City Southern	19 3-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	48 7-8
L. & N.	99
New York Central	100
Norfolk & Western	66 3-4
Norfolk & Western pfd	75
Pennsylvania	116 3-4
People's Gas	82 1-4
Reading	88 1-4
Reading 1st pfd	77
Reading 2nd pfd	73 3-4
Rock Island Co.	14 7-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	41 1-2
Southern Pacific	75 1-2
Southern Pacific pfd	108 1-4
Southern Railway	11 5-8
Southern Railway pfd	46
Tenn. Coal & Iron	135
U. S. Steel	23 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	83 1-4
Va-Car. Chemical	16 1-4
Va-Car. Chemical pfd	88
Seaboard Air Line	
Seaboard Air Line pfd	
Standard Oil	420
Western Union	67

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 11 7-8; net receipts, 7,579.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 7-8; net receipts, 3,558.

Mobile—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts, 1,614.

Savannah—Firm, 11 3-16; net receipts, 12,662.

Charleston—Quiet, 11 1-8; net receipts, 2,577.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 3-16; net receipts, 5,159.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11 5-8; net receipts, 4,632.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-4.

New York—Quiet, 11.70.

Boston—Quiet, 11.70.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.95.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 100.

Total today at all ports—Net receipts, 37,881; Great Britain, 34,610; Continent, 4,457; stock, 510,763.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 37,881; Great Britain, 34,619; Continent, 4,457.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 1,014,032; Great Britain, 301,656; France, 79,342; Continent, 270,518; Japan, 336; Mexico, 200.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 7-8; net receipts, 6,829.

Augusta—Steady, 11 3-16; net receipts, 2,889.

Memphis—Easy, 11 5-8; net receipts, 1,761.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 3-4; net receipts, 386.

Louisville—Firm, 2.

Little Rock—11 3-8; net receipts, 305.

Total today—Net receipts, 12,170; gross receipts, 13,222; shipments, 9,490; sales, 4,980; stock, 134,720.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, October 12.—A strong demand for cash corn which was reflected in the price of options caused a strong wheat market here today. At the close December wheat was up 1 7-8 to 2c to 2 to 2 1-8. Corn was 2 1-8 to 2 1-2 higher. Oats were up 5-8c. Provisions were 2 1-2 to 7 1-2 higher.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat—December, 1.06 1-4 to 3-8; May, 1.11 3-8; July, 1.03 1-8.

Corn—December, 63 1-4 to 3-8; May, 63 7-8; July, 63 3-8.

Oats—December, 55 1-4; May, 57 1-4; July, 51 1-8.

Mess pork, per barrel—October, 14.60; January, 16.00.

Lard, per 100 pounds—October, 9.25; November, 9.27 1-2; January, 9.07 1-2.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—October, 8.07 1-2; January, 8.22 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.15 to 1.18; No. 3 1.03 to 1.18; No. 2 red 1.02 to 1.04 1-4; No. 2 corn 66 1-4 to 1-2; No. 2 yellow 66 1-2 to 3-4; No. 2 oats 54 1-2; No. 3 white 52 1-2 to 55; No. 2 rye 88; short ribs, sides (loose) 7.95 to 8.50; mess pork, per barrel 14.50 to 14.60; lard, per 100 pounds 9.25; short clear sides (boxed) 8.25 to 8.50; whiskey, basis of high wines 1.34.

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LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, October 12.—Cotton: Spot quiet, prices unchanged to 2 points higher. American middling fair 7.14; good middling 6.74; middling 6.54; low middling 6.14; good ordinary 5.52; ordinary 4.92.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5,100 American. Receipts 27,000 bales, including 24,200 American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady. October 6.06; October and November 6.00 1-2; November and December 5.94 1-2; December and January 5.92; January and February 5.89 1-2; February and March 5.89 1-2; March and April 5.89; April and May 5.89; May and June 5.88 1-2; June and July 5.88 1-2; July and August 5.87.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 12.—Money on call, nominal. Time loans, strong; sixty days, 6 per cent.; ninety days, 6 1-2@7; six months, 6 bid. Prime mercantile paper, 7 per cent. Sterling exchange, strong with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8625@4.8630 for demand, and at .8250 for sixty-day bills. Commercial bills, 4.82@4.82 1-4. Bar silver, 62 3-8. Mexican dollars, 48 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 12.—The dry goods market ruled generally quiet today. A little more business is passing in cotton goods. Values are tending downward very slowly. Linens are very firm and not in full supply. Burlaps are strong owing to short supplies for current use.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Oct. 12.—Turpentine, firm 55; rosin, firm; strained, common to good, 4.45 to 4.50.

Charleston, Oct. 12.—Turpentine, 49 3-4. Rosin firm. A, B, C, 4.15; D, 4.20; E, 4.30; F, 4.50; G, 4.52 1-2; H, 4.50@4.57 1-2; I, 4.60; K, 4.65@4.70; M, 4.85; N, 5.15; WG, 5.65; WW, 5.80.

Savannah, Oct. 12.—Spirits turpentine, firm 51 1-2; sales, 527; receipts, 726; shipments, 762.

Rosin, firm; sales, 1,931; receipts, 2,315; shipments, 1,223; stock, 87,872. A, B, C, 4.20; D, 4.25; E, 4.35@4.40; F, 4.55@4.57 1-2; G, 4.57 1-2@4.60; H, 4.62 1-2; I, 4.65; K, 4.70@4.75; M, 4.90; N, 5.20; WG, 5.70; WW, 5.85.

MARINE

CLEARED.

Str. Carib, Packer, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 12, 1907.

C. C. Railroad—141 bales cotton, 16 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—617 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—3,006 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 3 barrels rosin, 34 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—882 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin, 29 barrels tar.

Str. Alice—26 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Carib—501 bales cotton.

Schr. Addie May—12 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 33 barrels rosin, 62 barrels tar.

Total—5,159 bales cotton, 15 casks spirits turpentine, 46 barrels rosin, 141 barrels tar, 54 barrels crude turpentine.

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Cardigan (Br.) 2,691 tons, Davis, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Thomas Wayman (Br.) 1,414 tons Johnson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

King George (Br.), 2,479 tons, Burnett, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Massachusetts, 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Haffitt.

City of Georgetown, 506 tons, Slocum, C. D. Maffitt.

Barques.

Hancock, 348 tons, Erb, C. D. Maffitt.

Schooners.

Holliswood, 1,084 tons, Coombs, C. D. Maffitt.

Clifford N. Carver, 973 tons, Olsen, C. D. Maffitt.

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CHICAGO WINS WORLD SERIES

Windy City Baseball Team Beat Detroit Americans Fourth Successive Game.

VICTORS SCORED 2 TO 0

Chicago Rooters Went Wild With Enthusiasm—Teams Played in Raw Wind—Attendance Was Only 7,370—Features of Game.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 12.—The Chicago National League baseball team this afternoon at Bennett Park won the world's championship, defeating the Detroit American League team by the score of 2 to 0. It was the fourth successive victory for the Chicago team in as many days. Taking advantage of every slip made by the local players and running the bases cleverly, they scored two runs in the first two innings, while the Detroit team did not succeed in getting one man over the home plate. The "rooters," who had followed the Chicago team from their home city swarmed down to the diamond when the ninth inning closed and showered them with congratulations. Then several hundred of them formed in line and marched down Michigan avenue headed by a band, cheering and singing in celebration of their victory.

It was a disappointing day for the local team in more ways than one. The weather was raw and cold, entirely unfit for baseball, and less than half of the expected 15,000 to 13,000 people attended the game. The official count of the attendance was 7,370. The temperature was below 50 degrees and a raw wind swept across the field throughout the game.

Mullen and Brown, both pitched well, but the Chicago man received stronger support from his team mates. Brown also steadier than Mullen, giving but one base on balls to Mullen's three, one of which developed into a run in the first inning.

The local team had a man on third base but twice during the game, and each time Brown held the succeeding batter safely. In an effort to check the base stealing of Chicago, Manager Jennings sent in his colt catcher, Archer, to receive Mullin, but the Chicago men succeeded in stealing four bases from him, stolen bases figuring materially in scoring of both their runs. Tinker and Evers made a fine double steal in the second inning, Jones and Coughlin succeeded in stealing bases this afternon from the clever Kling, whose throwing to bases aided very much in Chicago victories.

The Score:	R	H	E
Detroit 000 000 000	0	7	2
Chicago 110 000 000	2	7	0

Summary: Two-base hits—Crawford, Cobb. Thee-base hits—Steinfeldt. Stolen bases—Jones, Coughlin, Slagle, Evers, Tinker, Schulte. Left on bases—Detroit, 6; Chicago, 8. First base on balls—Off Mullin, 3; off Brown, 1. First base on errors—Chicago, 2. Struck out—By Mullin, 3; Brown, 4. Time, 1.45. Umpires, Sheridan and O'Day.

FOOTBALL.

Other Games.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 12.—The University of North Carolina defeated Oak Ridge here this evening 39 to 0. Oak Ridge was not in the game at all, never making the necessary ten yards. Carolina made the first touch down in two rushes. In the second half the scrub team was used. The star for Carolina was Mann, William Thomas, for Oak Ridge, Moore. Umpire Jacobs. Referee Simmons. Halves 20 and 15; touch downs, Carolina seven; goals, Carolina four. Crosswell and Belden played well. Both are from Wilmington.

At Washington: Western Maryland College, 12; George Washington University, 0.

At Lexington: Virginia Military Institute, 37; Navy Yard Washington, 0.

At Charlottesville: University of Virginia, 40; Gallaudet, Washington, D. C., 0.

At Richmond: A. & M. College, N. C., 7; Richmond, 4.

At Philadelphia: Cornell, 18; Colgate, 0.

At Cambridge: Harvard, 18; Williams, 0.

At West Point: West Point, 12; Trinity, 0.

At Princeton, 52; Bucknell, 0.

At Annapolis: Naval Academy, 6; Vanderbilt, 6.

At Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania, 16; Swarthmore, 6.

At Buffalo: Carlisle, 14; Syracuse, 6.

At New Haven: Yale, 52; Holy Cross, 0.

At Athens, Go.: University of Tennessee, 15; University of Georgia, 0.

At Blacksburg, Va.: Virginia Tchs, 18; Hampden Sydney, 0.

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GREAT STRESS OF RAILROAD

General Counsel Mather of Rock Island System Does Some Plain Talking.

ROADS ARE NOW HELPLESS

Securities Are Unsalable and No Money Can Be Had to Increase Transportation—Misdeeds of Railroads Primarily Responsible.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 12.—Public belief in the reports of alleged pernicious practices by railroad officers and directors and uncertainty as to the extent of regulation are the primary causes of making railroad securities unsalable and partly paralyzing commercial development, according to General Counsel Robert Mather of the Rock Island system, who spoke at the banquet of the Chicago Association fo Commerce tonight.

Mr. Mather declared in the outset that the railroad problem had become the national problem, not because the railroad business had become, for the the moment, the subject of public criticism and the object of popular assault, but because the life of the nation depended on its railroads and its future hung on the correct solution of the problems they presented.

The speaker said that the railroads had not been able to reconstruct their facilties with sufficient speed to meet the exigencies of the greatly increased traffic of the country, and when they attempted to do so they found in their greatest stress that their securities could no longer be sold and the money essential for the desired improvements was not available.

"Then," declared Mather, "instead of moving with greater speed to provide the facilities for the lack of which less than one year ago, grain lay rotting in the fields, and communities suffered from a lack of coal, they slackened per force their already too slow pace, and today, condemned by the public opinion, by reports of commissions, and by their own consciousness as inadequate to their task, causing daily loss to commerce by the insufficiency of their facilities and equipment, the railroads are impotent to relieve the situation.

"I count as first among the causes that have made the securities of the railroads unsalable, the misdeeds of the railroads themselves. I do not include in this term for the purposes of this discussion, the payment of rebates. I would not deny under present conditions the perniciousness of this practice, nor decry the efforts of government to terminate it. And I know of no surer way to accomplish that end than for a righteous and determined executive to keep both carrier and shipper in terror of the confiscatory fines which that drastic act imposes for its violation.

"There is a prevailing public belief, based upon facts publicly shown, that railroads have issued corporate obligations and applied the proceeds to purposes other than those for which such obligations may lawfully be issued. Directors are understood to have purchased the securities of corporations of which they are trustees and have sold property of their own to the corporation making personal profit through their dealings with the trust estates. The remedy for this situation should not await governmental action.

TELEGRAPHERS STRIKE OFF

Their Treasury Depleted and Companies Are Unyielding.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 12.—Following the visit to the city of Labor Commissioner Neill, President Small, of the Telegraphers Union, this afternoon took decisive steps to close the telegrapher' strike. He sent the following telegram to all of the leading cities of the country:

"New York, October 12, 1907.

"Prominent New Yorkers appealed to me to call the strike off. All efforts at negotiations are exhausted and the companies' officials say they will fight to a finish. The treasury is depleted, and no more funds are available. Requests for relief from all sides are heavy and urgent. The general assembly cannot met them. The strike having been ordered without the president's sanction, I recommend that locals vote on the proposition."

A meeting of the New York local will be held tomorrow when President Small's recommendation will be discussed.

Daniel L. Russell, chairman of the strikers' board of strategy, sad tonight that President Small had said nothing to the members of the local board regarding his recommendation, either before or after the same was made public. Mr. Russell said that he had protested against the strike in the beginning, but at the same time had said that if it was declared he would support it to the end. This promise, he said, he had kept, and would never ask the strikers ot go to work unless they received material concessions.

According to unofficial reports at the Norfolk Navy Yard the Bureau of Navigation has ordered stopped all work on vessels other than the second torpedo flotilla and the battleships Virginia and Kentucky to rush them to readiness for the Pacific trip. Unexpected repairs to the Kentucky's machinery will require fifteen days more than was first estimated.

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RICHEST WOMAN STRONG KNOCKER

Mrs. Hettie Green Severely Condems Marrying of Girls For Titles.

AMERICANS GOOD ENOUGH

Girls Who Get Foreign Husbands Deserve What They Get—Would Disown Her Son if He Married for a Title.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Hettie Green, often referred to as the richest woman in the world, is strongly opposed to international marraiges, according to an interview with her, which is published today.

"I am glad Gladys Vanderbilt is not my daughter," she is quoted as saying. "There are thousands of honest young working men in the United States good enough to be any girl's husband. The girls who go to Europe to get their husbands deserve what they get—and more. If my son married a foreign woman because the union would bring him a title, I would disown him."

Mrs. Green said she had no intention of retiring from business. "When I get out of business," she said, "my work in this world shall have been done. I have been busy forty-two years and work has made me young and happy."

Of the financial outlook Mrs. Green had this to say:

"We safely passed the period when there was danger of panic. Money may be tight again about the first of the year, but I do not look for serious business embarrassment."

NORTH CAROLINA UNIVERSITY.

Hundred and Fourteenth Anniversary Celebrated Yesterday.

(By Wire to the Morning Star).

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 12.—The one hundred and fourteenth anniversary of the University of North Carolina was celebrated today in accordance with a long established custom, the day being observed as a holiday. At 10:45 this morning the student body, seven hundred and sixty strong, assembled in front of Alumni Hall, and proceeded to gather into groups composed of various classes, in the following order: post graduates, seniors, juniors, sophomores, freshmen, law and medical students. The body was headed by the entire faculty dressed in caps and gowns. The university band struck up a lively air, and the whole procession marched across the quadrangle up to Memorial Hall. After the audience had been seated and the university orchestera had finished the opening selection, President Venable made a short opening address, after which Dr. Thomas Hume offered an eloquent and inspiring prayer.

The next feature on the programme was the singing of the University hymn by the choir and students. The blending of seven hundred male voices which completely filled the old hall with melody, was an inspiration within itself.

Next came the president's report, which was full of interest. After the singing of the University hymn, President Venable in a few words containing a touch of humor, introduced St. Clair McKelway, of Brooklyn, N. Y., as the speaker of the occasion.

Dr. McKelway, by his charming personality and the pleasing manner of his address, caught the attention of his hearers at the outset, and held it to the end. This subject, touching on the present relation between North and South, was one in which all university students are vitally interested and his address was pronounced one of the best ever delivered from the rostrum of Memorial Hall.

Dr. McKelway spent yesterday in Raleigh, visiting educational institutions and delivering two addresses to students.

FREE TRANSPORTATION

Inter-State Commerce Commission Passes on Question.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Orleans, Oct. 12.—In reply to a telegram sent the Inter-State Commerce Commission by Mayor Behrman, of this city, asking if the Illinois Central Railroad could furnish free transportation to strike breakers who had been brought here by them, but who later deserted, Chairman Knapp of the commission replied today as follows:

"The law does not require and the commission cannot compel the railroads to give free transportation to indigent persons. Railroads have the right to do so at thesr option and it is for them to determine whether in fact the persons carried at free or reduced rates are indigent or destitute. About one hundred men brought in here by the Illinois Central Railroad to take the places of striking freight handlers on the river front deserted and labor leaders here appealed to Mayor Behrman to require the Illinois Central Railroad to take the men back to Chicago, St. Louis and other points where they were engaged. The railroads official refused on the ground that they would be violating a federal law in furnishing free transportation to persons no longer in their employ. Mayor Behrman claims the men were indigent and liable to become public charges if left here.

While the locomotive of a freight train on the Central of Georgia railroad was taking water at Reynolds, Ga., yesterday the boiler exploded, killing Engineer Avery, Conductor Allen and a negro fireman. The boiler was blown a hundred yards and the station was damaged.

Read Star Business Locals.

DEATH WAS HORRIBLE.

Mrs. W. S. O'B. Robinson Dies By Her Own Hand at Goldsboro.

(Special to Wilson Times.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Oct. 12.—Our people were shocked upon rising this morning to learn that Mrs. W. S. O'B. Robinson had met death at her own hands in a most tragic manner. Yesterday afternoon she was walking upon the streets and to all appearances was in usual good spirits. This morning at 4 o'clock her husband, who was upstairs, heard her fall, and, hastening to his wife's room, found her lying prostrate upon the floor with a gash in her throat, made from a razor which she held in her hand. The dresser in front of which she had been standing was on fire, and her face and arms were being singed, caused from an overturned lamp.

Mrs. Robinson had cut her throat with a razor while standing in front of her dresser, and in falling she had overturned the lamp, which was lighted, and the oil had set fire to the furniture and to her clothing. Panic-stricken her husband extinguished the fire with his hands, burning them badly, and when Mrs. Robinson was lifted to the bed there was no sign of life.

The only other persons in the house at the time of the occurrence was her son, John, and Mrs. Brickle, of Weldon, her sister, who was visiting her.

Mrs. Robinson has been suffering from melancholia, which had affected her mind, and this caused the rash act. She was a most estimable lady and highly esteemed, and our entire community sympathizes deeply with her husband and three sons. Messrs. William, John and Russel, in the loss of wife and mother.

EMPEROR JOSEPH WORSE

Symptoms of Inflammation in Lungs Increased.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Vienna, Oct. 12.—The condition of Emperor Francis Joseph took a turn for the worse at noon today, and at a late hour tonight the symptoms of inflammation of the lungs had increased. Taken as a whole, the day cannot be said to have been one of progress, although the physicians who examined his majesty at 10 o'clock tonight declared that the fever had abated and that the condition of the patient was unchanged. At 11 o'clock tonight his majesty was quiet and fell asleep.

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